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Births.

ABBOTT.—August 5, 1901, at her residence, Transvaal-avenue, Double Bay, the wife of F. Abbott, of a son.

ANDERSON.—August 13, at her residence, Corralyn, Arden-street, Waverley, the wife of Arthur Wm. Anderson, of a son.

BROWNE.—August 6, at the residence of her uncle, Corinna, Birrell-street, Bondi, the wife of H. W. Browne—a son.

CAMPBELL.—August 7, at her residence, Ferry Hill, Booth-street, Balmain, the wife of Frederick William Campbell, of a son (Clyde). Glasgow papers please copy.

CARO.—August 9, at her residence, Talaga, Orange, the wife of Mandel L. Caro, of a son.

DRYHURST.—August 2, at Lindhurst, Dryman-street, Summer Hill, the wife of J. Rennie Dryhurst—a daughter.

GABRIEL.—August 14, at her residence, Montrose, Stanmore-road, the wife of A. G. Gabriel, of a son.

HARRIS.—August 8, at Brighton, Gordon-street, Lady Robinson's Beach, the wife of J. J. Harris, of a son.

HODGSON.—July 29, 1901, at the Post-office, Alstonville, the wife of Eugene O'Reilly Hodgson—a son.

HUGHES.—At St. Arnaud, Stanmore-road, Stanmore, the wife of W. H. Hughes—daughter.

MORGAN.—August 14, 72 Alexander-street, North Sydney, the wife of John Morgan, Union Bank, Newmarket, Melbourne—a son.

NEATE.—August 7, at her residence, Rossberg, Wentworth-street, Blackheath, the wife of Herbert R. Neate (Bert)—a son.

ROGAN.—August 10, 1901, at Glen Erilly, Tamworth, the wife of Charles Rogan—a son.

SIMSON.—August 7, at Logan Brae, Waverley, the wife of R. J. P. Simson—a son.

SINCLAIR.—July 24, 1901, at her residence, St. Clair, Double Bay, the wife of William Jesse Sinclair, of a daughter.

WALKER.—August 2, at Wyoming, Pitt-street, North Sydney, the wife of Charles A. Walker, of a son.

WHITTY.—August 13, at the residence of her mother, 3 Albert-street, Edgecliffe, the wife of Harold P. Whitty, Berrigan, N.S.W., of a daughter.

Marriages.

AUGUSTUS—CAREY.—July 24, 1901, at St. Monica's Roman Catholic Church, North Parramatta, by the Very Rev. Father Reginald Bridge, Joseph Thomas, eldest son of A. Augustus, Esq., Dawes Point, Sydney, to Sarah Ann, second daughter of W. Carey, North Parramatta, N.S.W.

GARNSEY—BENN.—July 9, at St. James', Croydon, by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Newcastle, assisted by the Rev. G. R. C. Stiles, B.A., Arthur Henry, second son of the late Rev. C. F. Garnsey, of Sydney, to Bertha Edith Frances, eldest daughter of W. A. Benn, Esq., of Wynola, Croydon.

LIGHT—YOUNG.—July 8, 1901, at St. George's Church of England Cathedral, Perth, W.A., by the Rev. Dean Goldsmith, Charles Edward, second son of George Daniel Light, of the Roads and Bridges Department, N.S.W., to Annie, youngest daughter of the late Thomas Young, of Balmain, New South Wales.

MACINTOSH—RAPHAEL-ROSENTHAL.—July 18, 1901, at St. Stephen's Church, Phillip-street, Sydney, by the Rev. John Ferguson, William, eldest son of the late William Macintosh, of Sydney, to Gertrude Mabel, second surviving daughter of Mrs. E. M. Raphael-Rosenthal, of Mariola, Stanmore.

MARTIN—BRISCOE.—June 19, 1901, at the Centenary Hall, York-street, Sydney, by the Rev. W. G. Taylor, Ernest George, fourth son of Otto Martin, of Berry, N.S.W., to Mabel Ruth, seventh daughter of George Briscoe, of Miller's Point, Sydney, and granddaughter of the late John William Briscoe, Attorney, of Tullamore, Ireland. Dublin papers please copy.

MEREWETHER—GORE.—July 31, 1901, at All Saints', Woollahra, by the Rev. H. Wallace Mort, M.A., Frederick L. Mitchell, younger son of the late E. C. Merewether, of Castlefield, Bondi, to Sylvia M. G., second daughter of A. J. Gore, the Commercial Bank, Campbelltown.

MILLETT—O'GRADY.—August 14, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Manly, by Father Hayden, assisted by Rev. Father M'Dermott and Dr. Burge, Edward Henry Charles Millett to Annie, daughter of Mr. James O'Grady, of Manly.

POPE—FINNEY.—July 10, 1901, at St. James' Church, Sydney, Norman, son of John Pope, Ashfield, to Bertie, daughter of Thomas Finney, Brisbane.

RADKE—MONTGOMERY.—July 17, 1901, at St. Stephen's Church, Willoughby, by the Rev. D. Murphy, Joseph, fourth son of the late Albert Radke, of Longueville, to Emmeline (Lena), second surviving daughter of the late George Montgomery, of High-street, North Shore, and of Mrs. Harriet Montgomery, Willoughby.

SEDDON—HOOWORTH.—December 6, 1899, at St. Thomas', North Sydney, by the Rev. Stephen H. Childe, Thomas Seddon, youngest son of Thomas Seddon, of Balmain, to Gertrude Hooworth, of Balmain, Sydney, fourth youngest daughter of the late Enoch Hooworth.

SENIOR—GLASSON.—July 4, at St. Mary's Cathedral, Sydney, by the Rev. Father O'Gorman, Stanton John, eldest son of George Senior, Esq., of Derbyshire, England, to Annie May, third surviving daughter of the late Captain William Summerbelle, of Braeside, Potts Point.

WILSON—MILLER.—July 17, 1901, at Scots Church, Church Hill, by Rev. Dr. Dill Macky, George R., fifth son of J. G. Wilson, of Paddington, to Grace, fifth daughter of the late R. Miller, of Woollahra, and Mrs. E. Miller, of Annandale.

Silver Weddings.

TREVENAR—WILKINSON.—August 17, 1876, by license, at St. John's Church, Middlesborough, Yorkshire, England, by the Rev. Edward Rowland, James Walter, eldest son of the late James Walter Trevenar, formerly of Lingdale-lane, Skelton in Cleveland, to Sarah, second daughter of Leonard Wilkinson, farmer, Marton-lane, Middlesborough, Yorkshire, England. Present address, Ashfield.

Deaths.

BUIST.—August 8, at Lewisham Hospital, Ellen Buist, relict of the late David Buist, late of 23 Thomas-street, Marrickville, aged 74 years. Home papers please copy.

CORCORAN.—August 11, at his residence, No. 1, off Hutchinson-street, Surry Hills, John Corcoran, native of King's County, Ireland, a resident of Surry Hills for 45 years. Beloved and respected by all. Aged 66 years. Rest in peace.

DAVIS.—May 28, at St. Germains, Cheltenham, England, William Davis, M.A., LL.D., aged 78, great-uncle of James W. H. Jesse, M.H., and Humphrey Swanson, Neutral Bay.

FETHERSTONHAUGH.—August 14, at Little Bay Hospital, John Edward Fetherstonhaugh, late of Wanaaring. Irish papers please copy.

FORBES.—July 18, 1901, at Eugarie, N.S.W., Allan Forbes, aged 50 years, late of Rotorua, N. Zealand. N. Zealand papers please copy.

GRIFFITH.—August 13th, 1901, at his late residence, Croydon, Thomas, beloved father of William Griffith (Paddington), Mrs. J. T. Stribley (of Rockdale), and Mrs. W. H. Wignell (of 110 William-street), aged 83, leaving a widow and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Late of 121 Flinders-street, Moore Park.

HAWKEY.—August 15, at his residence, Menangle, Richard Hawkey, aged 65 years.

JEPSON.—July 8, at his residence, Darwen, Lancashire, England, James Kay Jepson, beloved father of Mrs. Herbert Grimes, aged 70 years.

KIRWAN.—August 13, 1901, at her residence, Clarendon, Windsor, Charlotte, beloved wife of Hiram John Kirwan, aged 80 years.

M'ELHINNEY-MILLER.—August 6, 1901, Mrs. Isabella Miller, of Alexandria and Katoomba (suddenly), beloved mother of James A. M'Elhinney, of Hurstville. Her end was peace.

MOYE.—August 15, at his residence, No. 2 The Avenue, off Thomas-street, Ashfield, Patrick Moye, late of Pyrmont. R.I.P.

MURRAY.—August 9, at Issoudun, No. 49 Elizabeth-street, Mrs. Mary Murray, of bronchitis, aged 66 years, loving wife of John Murray and beloved mother of Mrs. W. Spende, Paddington. R.I.P.

MURRAY.—August 14, 1901, at her residence, 54 Brown-street, Camperdown, Mary, wife of John Murray, and dearly beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Barwick, late of Mudgee, aged 48 years.

NEANDER.—August 16, at 515 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, Alfred Gordon Neander, aged 16 years. Melbourne papers please copy.

NEWELL.—August 16, at her aunt's residence, 49 Ormond-street, Paddington, Minnie, the dearly beloved daughter of John M'Leod, of Mount Victoria, aged 31 years.

OLIVER.—August 16, at Wahroonga, Edith Constance, third surviving daughter of Alexander and Celia Oliver, of Shelcote, Neutral Bay, aged 18 years.

PHELAN.—August 15, Honora Phelan, relict late Thomas Edward Phelan, aged 64 years. R.I.P.

QUILTER.—Frances Matilda, relict of the late John Francis Quilter, of Gobarralong, Gundagai, died 15th August, 1901, aged 81 years. R.I.P.

RADFORD.—At her residence, 75 Moncur-street, Woollahra, Louisa, the wife of the late Joseph Radford, in her 89th year.

SHEARER.—August 15, at his residence, Craiginnes, Victoria-road, Marrickville, John Shearer, late of Johnston-street, Annandale, in his 58th year, of pneumonia. R.I.P. No flowers.

TAYLOR.—August 9, at her residence, 60 Ross-street, Darlington, Emily Taylor, wife of the late George Taylor, late of Brewarrina, in the 51st year of her age.

In Memoriam.

BLACK.—In loving remembrance of A. T. Black (Doll), died August 18, 1900. Dearly loved, sadly missed, and fondly remembered. Inserted by his sorrowing mother, brothers, and sisters.

FITZPATRICK.—In sad but loving remembrance of my beloved wife and our dear mother, Mary Fitzpatrick, who departed this life at her residence, Denham-street, Glebe, August 17, 1900. R.I.P. Inserted by her loving husband and children.

FOSKETT.—In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, Stephen John Foskett, J.P., who passed away in his sleep at Newtown, August 17, 1900, aged 81 years. At rest. Inserted by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Foskett and family.

FOSKETT.—In loving memory of our dear father, Stephen John Foskett, J.P., who passed away in his sleep at Newtown, August 17, 1900, aged 81 years. At rest. Inserted by Mr. and Mrs. W. Cornish, Lismore.

FOSKETT.—In sad and loving memory of my dear father, S. J. Foskett, J.P., who departed this life August 17, 1900. Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, C. and G. Austin, and grandchildren.

He went to bed in health and strength,
No thought of death was near;
He had not time to say good-bye
To those he loved so dear.

JARVIS.—In loving memory of our dear father, Thomas Sylvester Jarvis, who departed this life August 17, 1900. Inserted by his loving daughter and son-in-law, Emily and George M'Dougall.

Sleep on, dear father, take thy rest,
The pain and sufferings are o'er,
And thou has left a troubled world
To reach a peaceful shore.

M'GILL.—In loving and affectionate remembrance of Ida S. S. M'Gill, who died August 18, 1898. So loved, so mourned by her family.

M'KONE.—In loving memory of our dear father, Felix M'Kone, who died August 18, 1894, age 75 years. Inserted by his loving daughters, M. A. and J.

M'KONE.—In loving memory of our dear grandfather, Felix M'Kone, who died August 18, 1894, aged 75 years. Inserted by his loving grandsons, Biddie and Charlie Smith.

MORETON.—In loving memory of Samuel Hillier Moreton, who died at North Botany August 18, 1899. Inserted by his loving mother, brother, and sisters.

In Memoriam.

WALLACE.—In memory of my dear husband, James Wallace, who departed this life August 17, 1900. Inserted by his loving wife, Catherine, and family.

Had He asked us, well we know
We should cry, Oh, spare this blow.
Yes, with streaming eyes should pray,
Lord, we love him, let him stay.
But the Lord doth nought amiss,
And since he hath ordered this
We have nought to do but still
Rest in silence on His will.

WICKES.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Florence, who departed this life August 17, 1898. Inserted by her loving husband, W. H. Wickes.

WICKES.—In loving memory of Florence Wickes, who died August 17, 1898, aged 25 years. Inserted by her loving parents and sisters Frances, Fanny (Sis), and Joseph.

WINGROVE.—In loving memory of my beloved husband and father, Jabez Enoss Wingrove, who departed this life on the 17th day of August, 1898. Inserted by his affectionate wife and children, Minnie, Mary, and Arthur.

Return Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. BRETT, FAMILY, and all RELATIVES of the deceased WALTER GEORGE BRETT desire to return their heartfelt THANKS to all their kind sympathising friends for the many tokens of their sympathy in letters, visits, and otherwise condoling with them in their late sad bereavement; especially for the number and beauty of the floral wreaths sent. They kindly thank the portions of the different staffs of the different departments from A. Horderns and Sons who kindly attended, also to Mr. W. J. Wood, undertaker, of Marrickville, for his many and untiring acts of kindness during the time in conducting this sad bereavement. Abemarle, 40 Edward-street, Marrickville.

Mrs. DOMINIC DOHERTY and FAMILY ask their friends to accept heartfelt THANKS for kind messages and other manifestations of sympathy in bereavement, and now specially express their gratitude to Dr. W. F. Stewart M'Kay and Nurse Stowell for great skill, care, and kindness to their dear husband and father during his late illness.

Mr. CHARLES R. GILES desires to return his sincere THANKS to the many kind friends for their wreaths, letters of condolence, and expressions of sympathy in his recent bereavement. 30 Juliette-street, Enmore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. WALKER, Mr. A. WALKER, and Mr. H. A. WALKER desire to return sincere THANKS from grateful hearts for all kind expressions of sympathy received by them in their recent sad bereavement.

Alderman T. T. and Mrs. FORSYTH and FAMILY, of Rosemont, High-street, Willoughby, desire to return their sincere and heartfelt THANKS to their many kind friends for letters, telegrams, and other expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavements.

The FAMILY of the late Mr. WILLIAM M'RITCHIE, of Lynedoch, Point-street, Pyrmont, desire to convey their very sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for their kindness and sympathy during their late sad bereavement, also for letters, cards, telegrams, and floral tributes.

Mr. and Mrs. JAMES FORSYTH desire to return their sincere THANKS to the many kind friends for letters, cards, telegrams, and sympathy, also Drs. Crabbe and Reid, and neighbours for their kind attention in their late sad bereavement in the loss of their darling little son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. DARBON, of Little Coogee, desire to return their sincere heartfelt THANKS to their many kind friends for their wreaths and letters of condolence and other kind expressions of sympathy in their sad bereavements.

Mrs. KELLY and FAMILY, of Carisbrooke, Norton-street, Leichhardt, desire to return their sincere THANKS to Mr. Brocklehurst, manager of Messrs. David Jones and Co.'s, and the employees for floral tributes; also to their many kind friends for cards, telegrams, and letters, and other expressions of sympathy shown in their recent sudden bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. RENOUF and FAMILY desire to return their sincere THANKS to all kind friends who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy in the loss of their late son-in-law.

Mrs. W. F. WALKER, of 47 Union-street, Paddington, desires to return her sincere and heartfelt thanks to her many kind friends for flowers, letters of condolence, and other kind expressions of sympathy in her recent sad bereavement.

Miss MAUD FULLAGER, Mr. EDWARD FULLAGER, Mr. and Mrs. C. FULLAGER, Mr. and Mrs. BURROWS, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. WARMAN, and Mrs. S. CHAPMAN desire to return their sincere and heartfelt THANKS to the many kind friends for their wreaths, letters of condolence, and other kind expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. PRING and FAMILY, of 68 Erskineville-road, Erskineville, return THANKS to their numerous friends for letters, telegrams, wreaths, and other tokens of sympathy in their late sad bereavement, and especially to Dr. Andrew Norrie, of Liverpool-street, Sydney, for his most unremitting attention; also to Mr. B. A. Rose, chemist, for his many acts of kindness during their late daughter's long illness.

Mr. NIXON and FAMILY, of Lacey-street, desire to return sincere THANKS to their many friends for telegrams, letters, cards, floral tributes, and personal sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. S. T. DAVOREN of the Ultimo Hotel, Ultimo-road, Ultimo, desires to return his sincere THANKS to all those friends who sent messages, cards, and telegrams of sympathy, and floral tributes in his recent sad bereavement, especially Rev. [illegible] (of St. Francis), Doctor Litchfield and Gordon Craig, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hamilton, and Mr. R. Brampton.

Mr. and Mrs. MORRIS and FAMILY desire to return grateful THANKS to Misses Standen and Holmes and scholars for the great sympathy shown by them in their late bereavement, also for beautiful floral tribute, and express their thanks to all kind friends for expressions of sympathy.

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*FRIEDRICH DER G.	10,560	M. Eichel	Jan. 18	Jan. 25
*GROSS'R KURFURST	13,182	Oesselmann	Feb. 8	Feb. 15
*BREMEN	11,500	R. Nierich	Mar. 1	Mar. 8
*BARBAROSSA	10,769	F. Mentz	Mar. 22	Mar. 29
*KONIGIN LUISE	10,566	O. Volger	Ap. 12	Ap. 19
*P. R. LUITPOLD	6,288	L. Maass	May 3	May 10

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Indralema	7300	J. Firth	"
Indraghiri	4927	G. W. Harwood	"
Indramayo	4110	A. Horsfall	"
Star of England	3896	F. W. Ulyatt	"
Hawkes Bay	4583	F. C. Lidstone	"
Tomoana	5067	A. Child	"
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R.M.S.	Tons	Commander.	Sydney, noon.	Melb., 1.30 p.m.	Adel., 2 p.m.
*ORTONA	7945	E. E. Lavington	Aug. 17	Aug. 20	Aug. 22
ORIZABA	6297	R. Archer	Aug. 31	Sept. 3	Sept. 5
OROYA	6297	R. Fletcher	Sept. 14	Sept. 17	Sept. 19
ORMUZ	6387	F. S. Symons	Sept. 28	Oct. 1	Oct. 3
ORUBA	5857	J. Linklater	Oct. 12	Oct. 15	Oct. 17
AUSTRAL	5524	C. Nicholson	Oct. 26	Oct. 29	Oct. 31
CUZCO	3918	W. S. Shelford	Nov. 9	Nov. 12	Nov. 14
*OMRAH	8291	J. F. Ruthven	Nov. 23	Nov. 26	Nov. 28
*ORTONA	7945	E. E. Lavington	Dec. 7	Dec. 10	Dec. 12
ORIZABA	6297	R. Archer	Dec. 21	Dec. 24	Dec. 26
OROYA	6297	R. Fletcher	Jan. 4	Jan. 7	Jan. 9
ORMUZ	6387	F. S. Symons	Jan. 18	Jan. 21	Jan. 23
ORUBA	5857	J. Linklater	Feb. 1	Feb. 4	Feb. 6
AUSTRAL	5524	C. Nicholson	Feb. 15	Feb. 18	Feb. 20
ORIENT	5365	F. W. Kershaw	Mar. 1	Mar. 4	Mar. 6
*OMRAH	8291	J. F. Ruthven	Mar. 15	Mar. 18	Mar. 20
*ORTONA	7945	E. E. Lavington	Mar. 29	April 1	April 3

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AORANGI	Sept. 9	Sept. 13	Sept. 25	Oct. 3
MOANA	Oct. 7	Oct. 11	Oct. 23	Oct. 31
MIOWERA	Nov. 4	Nov. 8	Nov. 20	Nov. 28

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S.S. WAIKARE, WEDNESDAY, August 21, at noon.
S.S. MARAROA, WEDNESDAY, September 4, at noon.

For WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN, and BLUFF, HOBART, and MELBOURNE, transhipping to outports—
S.S. WAIHORA, TO-DAY, SATURDAY, at 4 p.m.
S.S. MONOWAI, SATURDAY, August 31, at 1 p.m.

TASMANIA.

For HOBART DIRECT—
S.S. OONAH, THURSDAY, August 22, noon.
From HOBART—August 17, 27.

For LAUNCESTON and N.W. COAST PORTS, via Eden—
S.S. WAKATIPU, THURSDAY, August 22, at noon.

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S.S. MANAPOURI, WEDNESDAY, August 28.

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S.S. HAUROTO, WEDNESDAY, August 28, from Auckland.

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From MELBOURNE.
For NEW ZEALAND PORTS, via Hobart and Bluff—
S.S. MOKOIA, WEDNESDAY, August 21, at noon.
LAUNCESTON.—S.S. PATEENA, FRIDAY, August 23, at noon.
STRAHAN (Zeehan Silverfields).—S.S. KAWATIRI, TUESDAY, August 20, at noon.
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AUSTRALIAN	3000	P. T. Helms	31st August
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SONOMA	Sept. 24	Sept. 28	October 14	October 25
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BRISBANE	Burimbla, This Day, noon, Aug. 17 Aramac, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 20
MARYBOROUGH	Burimbla, This Day, noon, Aug. 17 (Without transhipment.)
BUNDABERG	Burimbla, This Day, noon, Aug. 17
GLADSTONE	Aramac, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 20
ROCKHAMPTON	Burimbla, This Day, noon, Aug. 17 (Without transhipment.) Aramac, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 20
AND ALL QUEENSLAND PORTS to TOWNSVILLE and COOKTOWN.	Aramac, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 20 Arawatta, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 27
THURSDAY ISLAND, NORMANTON, BURKETOWN	Arawatta, Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 27 (Transhipping at Brisbane.)
NOUMEA, SUVA, LEVUKA	Birksgate, Wednesday, Sept. 11

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For WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN, and BLUFF, HOBART, and MELBOURNE (transhipping to outports)—
WESTRALIA,
SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, NOON.

For AUCKLAND, GISBORNE, NAPIER, WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, and DUNEDIN (transhipping to outports)—
ZEALANDIA, WEDNESDAY, August 28, 4 p.m.
ELINGAMITE, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 4 p.m.

From MELBOURNE, via HOBART and BLUFF—
WESTRALIA, WEDNESDAY, September 11.

TASMANIA.
HOBART (direct)—
TAMBO, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at noon.

LAUNCESTON (Transhipping at Melbourne)—
ANGLIAN, TUESDAY, August 20.
From MELBOURNE (direct)—COOGEE, August 20, 27.

MELBOURNE and GEELONG—
ANGLIAN, TUESDAY, August 20.
UNDAUNTED, FRIDAY, August 23 (cargo only).

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ADELAIDE, WALLAROO, PORT PIRIE, PORT AUGUSTA	Buninyong, Tuesday, September 3, 5 p.m.
ALBANY, FREMANTLE (transhipping for Geraldton)	Buninyong, Tuesday, September 3, 5 p.m.
BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON, BUNDABERG	Peregrine, This Day, Saturday, 2 p.m. Konoowarra, Tuesday, Aug. 20, 5 p.m. Leura, Saturday, Aug. 24, 12 noon.
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No cargo will be received on day of sailing for Ulladulla, Nelligen, Bateman's Bay, Bermagui, Tathra, Merimbula, and Eden.
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CHAS. SPEER,
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Government Railways.

ROSEHILL RACES.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

SPECIAL TRAINS for FIRST-CLASS PASSENGERS will leave Sydney for Rosehill Racecourse at 12.50 and 12.55 p.m.; SECOND-CLASS, at 1 p.m.; FIRST and SECOND CLASS at 12.20, 1.8, 1.27, and 1.41 p.m.; and for Horses at 11.40 a.m.

FARES (return): First-class, 3s, including Grand Stand 13s 6d; Ladies, 5s; Second-class, 2s 6d, including Leger 4s 6d.

Tickets at the Central Booking Office, Bent-street Tramway Office, and Railway Stations.

WAGGA WAGGA SHOW.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, AUGUST 21 and 22,
and
WAGGA WAGGA SHEEP SALES,
FRIDAY and SATURDAY, AUGUST 23 and 24.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS will be issued to Wagga Wagga at Sydney, Albury, and intermediate stations, including branch lines and also at Bathurst, Dubbo, Forbes, and intermediate stations (via Blayney), and at stations on Harden-Blayney Line, commencing on MONDAY, 19th AUGUST, and thereafter by trains timed to arrive at Wagga Wagga up to 1.51 p.m. on SATURDAY, 24th AUGUST, available for return until MONDAY, 26th AUGUST.

CHEAP EXCURSION TICKETS at 2d per mile First-class Return (minimum 2s) and 1d per mile Second-class Return (minimum 1s) will be issued to Wagga Wagga at Albury and intermediate stations by SPECIAL TRAIN leaving Albury at 8.40 a.m., and also by SPECIAL TRAIN leaving Harden at 8.0 a.m. on THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST, available for return up to MONDAY, 26th AUGUST, by any train except the Melbourne Express.

SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAINS.
ALBURY AND HARDEN TO WAGGA WAGGA AND RETURN.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 22.

STATIONS.		Times. a.m.	STATIONS.		Times. p.m.
Albury	dep.	8.40	Wagga Wagga	dep.	7.15
Wagga Wagga	arr.	11.25	Albury	arr.	9.40
Harden	dep.	8.0	Wagga Wagga	dep.	8.30
Wagga Wagga	arr.	11.33	Harden	arr.	11.54

The Special Trains will also call at all intermediate platforms where required to pick up and set down passengers respectively.

By order of the Commissioners.
H. McLACHLAN, Secretary.

GOVERNMENT TRAMWAYS.

OPENING OF EXTENSION TO MILLER'S POINT.

COMMENCING MONDAY, 19th AUGUST, the Extension of the Electric Tram Line from Fire Station (George-street North) to Miller's Point will be opened for traffic. The Time-table will be as follows:—

WEEK DAYS.

FROM MILLER'S POINT.—5.58, 6.18, 6.38, 6.53, 7.8, 7.23, 7.36, 7.46, 7.56, 8.6, 8.16, 8.26, 8.36, 8.45, 8.54, 9.3, 9.12, 9.21, 9.28, 9.36, a.m., every 10 minutes to 2.26 p.m., every 9 minutes to 7.56, every 10 minutes to 11.26 p.m.

FROM GLEBE POINT.—5.25, 5.45, 6.5, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.0, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 7.50, 8.0, every 9 minutes to 9.0 a.m., every 10 minutes to 1.50 p.m., every 9 minutes to 7.40, and every 10 minutes to 11.20 p.m.

SUNDAYS.

FROM MILLER'S POINT.—8.15, 8.30, 8.45, 9.0, every 15 minutes to 10.45 a.m., 12.15, every 15 minutes to 1.45, 1.56, every 10 minutes to 6.56, 6.6, every 10 minutes to 10.26 p.m.

FROM GLEBE POINT.—8.20, every 15 minutes up to 10.35 a.m., 12.5, every 15 minutes to 1.20, every 10 minutes to 7.0, 8.10, every 10 minutes to 10.20. Last tram 10.40 p.m.

STOPPING PLACES.—First Section: Miller's Point Terminus, Argyle-place, (a) Trinity Church, (a) Trinity-avenue, Dawes Point, Atherden-street, Argyle-street, George-street Fire Station, thence as shown for Glebe Point.

FARE.—Between Miller's Point and Regent-street, 1d.

TIME-TABLE ALTERATIONS—GLEBE POINT LINE.
In connection with the opening of the Miller's Point Extension, slight alterations will be made in the departure time of trams to and from Glebe Point. After 8.0 a.m. alternate trams, except when the 5-minutes' service is in operation, when every third tram will run to and from Miller's Point.

By order of the Commissioners.
H. M'LACHLAN, Secretary.

New South Wales Government Railways,
Office of the Railway Commissioners,
Sydney, 15th August, 1901.

TENDERS for the undermentioned SERVICES and SUPPLIES will be received at the Railway Commissioners' Office, Sydney, until 12 o'clock on the dates mentioned:—

MONDAY, 19th AUGUST, 1901.

The ERECTION of an ENGINE-SHED at MOREE. Particulars, Existing Lines Office, Bridge-street, Sydney; and at Moree Station.

The MANUFACTURE of ABOUT 9 TONS of STUDS, BOLTS, &c., for SWITCHES. Particulars, Existing Lines Office, Bridge-street, Sydney.

The ERECTION of STATION OFFICERS' HOUSE at LOCHINVAR. Particulars at the Divisional Engineer's Office, Newcastle.

The SUPPLY of IRON CASTINGS required by the Interlocking Branch. (Fresh Tenders.) Particulars, Railway Stores, Eveleigh.

EXTENSION of CARRIAGE SHED at MILSON'S POINT. Particulars at Existing Lines Office, Bridge-street, Sydney.

The SUPPLY and DELIVERY of 1650 IRONBARK POLES. Particulars, Electrical Engineer's Office, 51 Phillip-street, Sydney.

The SUPPLY of CASTIRON THIMBLES for the ULTIMO POWER-HOUSE. Particulars, Existing Lines Office, Bridge-street, Sydney.

MONDAY, 26th AUGUST, 1901.

The SUPPLY and DELIVERY of 9ft. (sawn or hewn) RAILWAY SLEEPERS on Darling Harbour Wharf. Tender forms, Existing Lines Branch, Bridge-street, Sydney.

The ERECTION of about 200 WOODEN POLES along the route of the existing tramways, North Sydney. Particulars, Electrical Engineer's Office, 51 Phillip-street, Sydney.

MONDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER, 1901.

The RENTING OF RAILWAY REFRESHMENT ROOMS. Specifications, &c., Railway Estate and Property Office, Public Works-building, Phillip-street, Sydney.

The ERECTION of a STATION OFFICER'S HOUSE at MOONBI. Particulars, Existing Lines Office, Sydney; the Divisional Engineer's Office, Newcastle; and at Tamworth Railway Station.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By order of the Commissioners.
H. M'LACHLAN, Secretary.

NOWRA.—SCHILLING and PRINGLE'S COACHES LEAVE NOWRA DAILY.
For Tomerong, Milton, and Ulladulla, 2 p.m. and 11 p.m.
For Cambewarra, Kangaroo Valley, Moss Vale, 2 p.m.
M'Ternan's Coaches meet all trains to and from Nowra Railway Stn. Special coaches, buggies, and saddle horses on shortest notice.
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Set your Watch by this
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P.M.
8—OVERTURE.
8.5—THE MAHR SISTERS.
8.11—FRANCIS GWYNNE.
8.20—THE TOBINS.
8.32—CHARLES S. SWEET.
8.40—HENRY LEE.
8.55—JOSEPHINE GASSMAN and her PICKANINNIES.
9.45—ARTHUR NELSTONE and AGNES MAHR.
10—ALLAN SHAW.
10.15—KELLY and ASHBY.
10.35—PROJECTOSCOPE.

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Read what the Papers say.

SYDNEY MORNING HERALD:

Signorina Bassich, who made her debut in the character, has a fresh soprano voice of fine quality. Signorina Bassich above all shines as an actress. Her emotional pathos in the death scene and the dramatic fervour of her acting throughout cannot be overpraised. However, most people will consider that the success of the evening was made by Signor Carlo Dani, for whose role Puccini has written his finest and most passionate music. This area, "Chi son! Sono un poeta," shows Puccini in one of those gloriously inspired moments that leave the listener almost breathless with delight. Signor Dani sang with a great outpouring of the voice and touching sentiment, and his ringing sustained high C natural, to use a hackneyed but forcible expression, "electrified the house." This singer is certainly the finest lyric tenor who has visited this country during the past 20 years.

"La Boheme" also introduces a new light soprano, Signorina Vaccari. This young singer acted with much spirit the part of the angry coquette Musetta. A special success was made by Signor Cattadori as Marcel (the painter). He sang the music admirably, and again showed himself a clever actor. The acting was a strong point throughout. Signor Tondini as Collino, Signor Lombardi as Schaunard, Signor Cannonieri as Benoit (landlord), and Signor Salvarani as Alcindoro (an old beau), all kept consistently in the picture.

DAILY TELEGRAPH.

In an opera it goes without saying that the singing is not everything; the background, the drama, must not be forgotten. In this regard Signorina Dalia Bassich, who made her Sydney debut as Mimi, may fairly be said to have carried off the honours of the evening. Vocally the artist is generously gifted; her voice is of caressing quality, and always employed artistically.

Signorina Vaccari, who also made her first appearance, scored no small triumph as Musetta, the second heroine of the opera. It was a careful study of a difficult part, played with much vivacity and coquetry. Her charmingly fresh voice secured her instant recognition in the waltz song.

Signor Dani was in splendid voice. He expressed the varying sentiments of Rudolph most happily, and the final scene was enacted with power. His vocal triumph came in the first act, where Rudolph sings a beautiful "Andante Lento" to Mimi. Here the tenor electrified the house by taking a full resonant high C. Signor Cattadori fulfilled the role of Marcel with distinction, and the minor parts of Collino and Schaunard were ably entrusted to Signori Tondini and Lombardi respectively. The remainder of the cast included Signori Cannonieri and Salvarani.

EVENING NEWS.

Signorina Bassich, who played Mimi, is young, handsome, looks and acts the part perfectly, has a light, sweet voice in thorough control, and acts admirably. Signorina Vaccari, who was Musetta, is a most capable actress of comedy, with youth and prettiness, and a sufficiency of vocal ability. Signor Dani, who made such a success as the Duke in "Rigoletto," may be fairly said to have surpassed himself in "La Boheme." The part of Marcel was rendered most pleasingly by Signor Cattadori; while other and minor parts fell fittingly to Signori Tondini, Lombardi, Cannonieri, Salvarani, Passani, Savini, and Patrian.

AUSTRALIAN STAR.

The success of the night was again scored by Signor Dani, whose lovely tenor voice and easy production was the theme of admiration. He received quite an ovation. Next to the above the new prima donna, Signorina Dalia Bassich, made the greatest hit. Vocally, she is well equipped, and has a voice of nice quality, not too powerful, and sings with pathos. Signor Cattadori as Marcel, and Signor Lombardi as Schaunard were the life and soul of Bohemian land, both artists being heartily appreciated, especially in their vocalisation, Signor Lombardi's fine bass voice and easy style earning deserved applause. Signor Tondini made his first appearance as Colline, and did well. Last, but not least, might we mention the genuine work put in by Signorina Vaccari, who took the part of Musetta, with considerable success, and who in the quarrel scene in the third act evoked hearty applause for her vocal powers and realistic acting.

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Meetings.

BOROUGH OF MARRICKVILLE.
A Public MEETING will be held in the Town Hall, Illawarra-road, on MONDAY EVENING Next, August 19, at 8 o'clock, in response to requisitions received, for the purpose of:—
1. To decide what steps shall be taken to obtain a Public Park for Marrickville.
2. To urge upon the Honourable the Minister for Works the advisability of the early construction of the proposed tram line along Illawarra-road from Marrickville-road to Cook's River.
J. PERCY JOSEPHSON, Mayor.
Town Hall,
August 13, 1901.

THE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
This Society will hold a Special Extended MEETING for the Exhibition of Daffodils and other seasonable Flowers at the Queen's Hall, Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 29th inst., to open at 3.30 p.m. For schedules, &c., apply to the Hon. Secretary.
H. H. B. BRADLEY, Hon. Secretary,
60 Margaret-street.

DARLINGTON SINGLE-TAX LEAGUE.
HENRY GEORGE DAY, SEPT. 2nd, 1901.
A COMMEMORATION DINNER
will be held in
Quong Tart's Elite Hall, Q. V. Markets, at 7 p.m.
Tickets 2s 6d each, from Mr. J. T. Fischer, 520 Bourke-street, Surry Hills.
Followed by a
PUBLIC MEETING in the same Hall at 8 p.m.
Chairman, P. J. FIRTH, Esq.
A Proposal to Form an Australasian Single Tax League will be discussed. Admission, Free.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.
The Annual MEETING of the AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB will be held at the offices of the Club, 6 Bligh-street, on TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, 1901, at 4 o'clock p.m.
Business:
To receive the Report of the Committee and the Treasurer's Balance-sheet.
To elect a Committee and two Auditors for the ensuing financial year.
T. S. CLIBBORN, Sec. A.J.C.
6 Bligh-street.

A MEETING of JOURNEYMEN BRICKLAYERS will be held at the Rest Hotel, N. Sydney, on Wednesday next, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of forming a union.

NORTH COBAR COPPER-MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that a General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of AUGUST next, at the Company's Office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended June 30th last, and to transact any other business that may be brought forward in accordance with the Deed of Settlement. By order of the Board. LEONARD DODDS, Manager. Sydney, July 31st, 1901.

GIRILAMBONE COPPER-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 12 o'clock noon, on WEDNESDAY, 28th August, 1901, at the Company's Offices, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney:—To receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended June 30th last; to elect a Director in lieu of Wm. Wark, Esq., and two Auditors in lieu of Messrs. J. C. Taylor and Charles Artlett, all of whom retire, are eligible for re-election, and have given notice of their candidature; and to transact general business.
By order of the Board.
G. A. RICHARDS, Manager.
Sydney, August 7th, 1901.

Calls and Dividends on Shares.

NORTH CENTRAL BROKEN HILL SILVER-MINING COMPANY. No Liability.—SHAREHOLDERS who have not paid the 22nd Call of One Penny per Share, due 10th July last, in the above Company [illegible]

A RECORD Shipment of Phonograph RECORDS [illegible] OSBORN and JERDAN ("My Opticians"), 393 George-street.

Servants Wanted.

A.—At the Servants' Home. Milkers, 20s; Groom, gard., outdoors, 30s; Butch. orders, Fm. Hands, &c.

A. E.C., 35 Eliz.-st., H. M., 11s; 5 Gen., 10s to 15s; C., L., Str'hf'ld, 12s; C., M'rickv'le, 10s; c. nurse, 12s.

A COMPETENT General SERVANT, gentleman's residence. Mrs. F. H. Woodhill, Combewood, Penrith.

A COUNTANCY and Estate Agency.—An active BOY wanted, £1 monthly. Box 1115, G.P.O.

A NEAT young GENERAL, good wages, no shirts; open a week, refs. Home, P.O., Burwood.

A SMART YOUTH as light Porter. Collins and Co., drapers, 114 William-st.

A GENERAL SERVANT wanted, 12s, no washing. After 9, 16 Toxteth-rd., Glebe Point.

A SUPERIOR plain LAUNDRESS, start at once, wages. Apply 9 o'clock, Packer's Hotel, King-st.

AT 58 Royal Arcade.—2 Girls, leaving school, 1 sleep home, Pad.; thor. Gens., N. H'maid. Mrs. Falconer.

AT Strathfield Registry.—All classes compt. Servants, St'fld, B'bush, Auburn, other subs.; y. Gs., train.

AT Leese and Grey's, 41 Eliz.-st.—2 comp. H. M. W., Genls., 10s to 15s; other rel. Svts. Please call.

AT 26 Eliz.-st.—Compt. Nurse; Gen., Chats., 14s; sev. Gens. city; Gen., Mtns., no w.; gd. K'man, htl., 12s 6d.

AT Mrs. Peters', top Hunter-st., 114.—Nurse, N.W., C.L., H.P. Md., 10s, 12s, 3 fam.; fem. Cook, city.

AT 9 Enmore-rd., wid. with walk. child, cook, able bake, also y. girl train P.M. station, 5 y. Gens. at once.

AT Mrs. Miller's, 19 Eliz.-st.—Man Cook, ctry. hotel, 30s; gd. Gens., hotels, tn., ctry., 14s. Early.

AT Mrs. Miller's, 19 Eliz.-st.—Gens., Hmds., Waitresses, ref. rooms; useful Girls, gd. wages.

A.—Wanted, Parlourmaid for Carcoar, 14s, good place, interview 10.30. Misses Cohen, 39 Hunter-st.

A WETNURSE wanted at once. Apply 20 Rockwall-crescent, Macleay-st., Potts Point.

A YOUNG Girl, about 16, as Gen. SERVANT. 35 Bridge-st., N. Sydney.

A YOUTH wanted, gen. usef., early riser, 10s wk. Mon., 10 o'cl. Cold Stores, Camperdown.

AN active Person wanted, all domestic duties for 2 ladies, must be a good cook and Laundress, wages from 14s to 25s per week. Write, with copies of references, to Competent, Post-office, Randwick.

BEAUTIFUL TEETH from one guinea a set, fit guaranteed. Mr. Spencer Nolan, dentist, 43 Oxford-st.

BOY wanted, must know town well. T. M. Hall and Co., 58 York-st.

BLACKSMITH, 25s, f.c. stn., N. line, able to erect wool-scouring plant; exp. Gardener, 20s, stn., N. line; Gardener, 20s, able to milk, W. line; Cook, 20s, stn., bake, stn.; 2 Farm Hands, 15s; Butler, H. Man, 18s, f.c. stn.; 15s, sub.; Gardener, 15s, c'try; milk and deliver, 12s, 15s, town, c'try; Hotel Usefuls, 10s, 12s; Coloured Boy, 10s, assist kitchen and garden; elderly Groom and Gardener, 10s; Youths, stn., 10s, S. line. 110 Bathurst-st.

CARETAKER, to clean, &c., rooms, rent free. Apply 145 Elizabeth-st., Sydney, between 4 and 5 o'clock.

COMPETENT young GENERAL, 2 in family, no shirts; must be good cook.
Mrs. W. T. BALL, Thorntonleigh,
Penkivil-street, Bondi.

COUNTRY YOUTH to milk and do little ploughing. Pantryman, hotel, sub., 16s; also Useful Lad.
Mrs. WOODLIN, 82 Post-office-chambers,
114A Pitt-street, opp. G.P.O.

EXP. Gardener, 17s 6d (inter. 11 a.m.); Cooks, 30s, 20s; C. Ls., 16s, 15s; H. P. Ms., 14s, 12s; N. H. M., 10s; 15 G. S., 15s, 12s; L. H. Ms., 15s, 12s; L. Help, 8s; Jap. u. man, 15s; Gov., £30. SWAN, 21 Elizabeth-street.

EXP. Cook, 25s, city; 20s, 25s sub.; sup. y. Ck., 17s 6d, Manly; C. and L., 20s; 16s, 18s, Darling Pt.; exp. Laundress, 20s, intv. 11; Cooks, 3, for c'try hotel, 16s to 18s; 2 Friends as C. and L., 15s, and H. M., 10s, c'try; 2 H. M., Laundresses, 15s, 15s, stn.; G. Servant, 16s, 10s; W. H., G. S., 14s, hotel, sub.; H. P. Maid, 14s, stn., w.l., 15s, c'try town; 12s, 12s, sub.; H. Maids, 10s, 12s, hotels, city; H. M. C., 12s, sub.; Nurse, 10s. 110 Bathurst-st.

FOUR H'maids, 12s, 14s, city and c'try; 3 H'maids, Waitress, country, 10s, 12s; 5 Cooks and Laundress, 16s, 20s, c'try; General Servts., c'try, 20s; General, no objection child, c'try, 16s; 2 Mothers and Daughters, £60, £52, stations; House and Parlour Maid, 15s, station.
HITTMANN'S AGENCY,
87 Castlereagh-street.

GEN. SERVANT wanted, washing opt., refs., fare paid, Myee Villa, Dolls Point, Sandringham, via Kogarah.

GOOD GENERAL, no heavy washing, wages 10s, personal refs. Apply by letter, Lauriston, Ryde.

GOOD HOUSEMAID, used to telephone and door attendance. Monterey, Berry-st., North Sydney.

GOOD GENERAL, nurse and man kept, no shirts. B Quarters, Victoria Barracks, Paddington.

HOUSEKEEPER and Lad, 16, for 1 gent., ctry. Cook and Laun., H. and P. Maid. Miss Blair, 117 Strand.

HOUSEMAID wanted. Chatsworth, end of Macleay-st., Potts Point.

HOUSEKEEPER, working, good needlewoman, Prot., req. by widower, sm. fam. N. V. N., Glebe P.O.

KITCHENMAN, 25s; Vegetable Cook, 25s; Jap. Cook, 25s; Laundryman, 20s; Chef Cook, 60s; Houseman, 15s; Chinese Kitchenman, 15s, c'try; Gardener, subs., 20s; Station Lads, 10s; Gardener, stn., 20s.
HITTMANN'S L. A.,
87 Castlereagh-street.

LADY HELP required, assist with children and housework, servant kept. Mrs. Penfold, Roseville.

LADY HELP, all duties but washing, sm. fam., cottage, gas stove. Full part. Madame, P.O., Turramurra.

L. HELP, all duties but washing, 3 adults, 1 child, salary 6s.
Mrs. H. LUMSDAINE,
Ross Lodge, Gladesville.

LADY HELP wanted, must be a good cook, two in family, man kept, no starched or heavy washing.
Mrs. F. BLAXLAND, Kialora,
Northwood, Lane Cove River.

L'DRESS, 20s, same fam., Mts.; Cook, 20s, city hotel, and K'maid, 10s; (2) 20s, bake bread, Nyngan; Hm., L'dress, 17s, 3 fam., Dubbo; C.L., 16s, and Hm., 10s, same hotel, sub.; Barmaid, under 23 yrs., assist, 17s 6d, sub.; Mother and Dtr., 17s, Manly; 4 Hm., W'tresses, 12s, city, ctry.; 4 H.P.M., 14s, 12s; 3 C.Ls., 18s to 14s, ctry., sub.; 4 G.S., 15s to 20s, ctry., sub.; W. Hk., child not obj., sm. fam., 15s, Narrabri. Misses Wilton, 29 Eliz.-st. T., 2091.

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MAN COOK, 25s, intv. 11 sharp; Gardener, 20s, Cooma; Orchardist, 20s, sub.; Gardener, contract, sub.; M.C., 1 gent., intv. 10, £65, Tamworth; £52, sub., 3 in family; 2 exp. Farm Hands, wife no duties, £60, £45; 2 Youths, wait table, 10s, tips, hotel; Gen. U'ful, ctry., hotel, 16s. Misses Wilton, 29 Eliz.-st. Tel., 2091.

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RESPECTABLE Gen., 3 in fam., gas stove. Mrs. J. Priestley, Egremont, Anderson-st., Chatswood.

RESPECTABLE smart young Girl, for housework, another servant kept, sleep home. Apply 10 to 12 to-day,
127 Victoria-street North, Darlinghurst.

REQUIRED, competent General SERVANT, good plain cook, no washing, another kept.
Apply before 12,
Wellesley College, Wellington-street, Newtown.

RESPECTABLE BOY for general housework and help gardener, small family, maid kept, wages 5s, good home. Apply 1 Harrow-road, Stanmore, nr. Enmore tram ter.; or Mr. PIERCY ETHELL, 8 Moore-street, city.

SMART Youth, gen. useful about house and garden, used boots, refs. Renard and Co., Ltd., Kent-st.

SMART Dairy Hand, single, good milker, suburban dairy. Apply 11 o'clock, J. Campbell, 51 Sussex-st.

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WAITER, used to restaurant, sober. Domain Cafe Woolloomooloo-st.

WANTED, a smart, respectable BOY, for chemist's shop. No. 158 Harris-st., Pyrmont. After 9.

WANTED, young GENERAL, sleep home pref., refs. required. Dundonald, Toothill-st., Lewisham.

WANTED, resp. middle-aged MAN, used to garden, handy with tools. Darlow, Sydney-st., Willoughby.

WANTED, GENERAL, country girl preferred. Mrs. John Lawson, Gipps-st., Concord, Burwood.

WANTED, HOUSEKEEPER, Prot., working man, 7s. J. Chamberlain, Wallace-st., Concord.

WANTED, young GIRL, sleep at home pref., references. 98 Victoria-st., Charing-cross, Waverley.

WANTED, useful Girl (about 15), small family, good home; state wages. Mother, P.O., Mosman.

WANTED, good STARCH IRONER, 4s day. I.X.L. Laundry, Archer-st., Chatswood.

WANTED, Mother's Help, all duties fam. 5. Mrs. D. Delany, the Musslewood, Adaminaby, Monaro.

WANTED, capable young GENERAL, 11s. Kinross, Stanton-st., off Spit-rd., Mosman.

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WANTED, General SERVANT, 2 in family, refs., near station. Wairoua, Neridah-st., Chatswood.

WANTED, a Lady HELP, no washing or ironing. Clansman, Barry-st., Neutral Bay.

WANTED, General HELP, sleep at home. 129 Newland-st., Waverley.

WANTED, refined young Lady's HELP, handy with needle, good home. L. H., Herald Office.

WANTED, a Light GENERAL, able to cook nicely, two others kept, sleep home. 87 Macleay-st.

WANTED, resp. LADS, for light work. Apply 9 o'clock, 156 Sussex-st.

WANTED, resp. Girl, GENERAL, two adults, comf. cottage home. Ross Vale, Sydenham-rd., Mar'ville.

WANTED, elderly Protestant Woman, without fam., Housekeeper, by eld. widower. H. W., Wil.-st. P.O.

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WANTED, young MAN, willing to learn cooking. Apply Chef, Oxford Hotel, King-st.

WANTED, GENERAL, good cook, 14s; also Lady Help. Before 12 a.m., 24 Darlinghurst-rd.

WANTED, HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID, refs. Mrs. Gill, St. Hilliers, Aubrey-st., Stanmore.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, references, light place. Apply Ferndale, 86 Victoria-st., Waverley.

WANTED, respectable little GIRL to mind baby; sleep home. 305 Crown-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, resp. GIRL, bet. 14 and 15, help with baby. 13 Manchester-st., off Constitution-rd., Petersham.

WANTED, GIRL, to mind house during the day, sleep at home. Apply No. 8 Cooper-st., Redfern.

WANTED, smart BARMAID. Apply Webber's Royal Standard Hotel, Sussex-st.

WANTED, elderly Woman, General HELP, must be resp. Mrs. A. Sharpe, Boundary-st., Lt. Coogee, W.

WANTED, thoroughly competent General SERVANT, 1 in family. App. Stroud, Middleton-st., Stanmore.

WANTED, young Woman, housework, small family, start once, sleep home. 32 Bellevue-st., Surry Hills.

WANTED, a PARLOUR MAID. Apply to Mrs. C. B. Stephen, 3 Wylde-st., Potts Point.

WANTED, General SERVANT, sleep at home. 143 Walker-st., Redfern.

WANTED, clean, resp. Girl as General SERVANT, no shirts, small fam. 65 Macauley-st., Leichhardt.

WANTED, good General SERVANT. Miss Webster, Heuliya, Ocean-st., Woollahra.

WANTED, y. L. Helps, Nurses, Gens., Gardeners, others waiting. Commonwealth, 441 Bourke-st. S.H.

WANTED, Working H'keeper, compt. Gens., light Gens. 254 Oxford-st., Wav. Reg., opp. Fernandez's.

WANTED, clean honest GIRL, about 17, used child'n. Tobacconist's, 97 Parramatta-rd, Johnson-st., Ann'dale.

WANTED, GIRL about 17, no washing or shirts, 3 in family, 6s. 29 Junction-rd., Summer Hill.

WANTED, little GIRL, mind baby and assist. No. 19 Bridge-st., Erskineville, after 11 a.m.

WANTED, General SERVANT for 2 wks., mountains, no washing. 23 Underwood-st., Paddington.

WANTED, a Girl or middle-aged Woman GENERAL, St. Altona, Birrell and Ocean sts., Bondi.

WANTED, useful MAN, for hotel work. Apply early, Glengarry Castle Hotel, Abercrombie-st., Redfern.

WANTED, experienced Woman COOK, no other duties. Apply 169 Phillip-st.

WANTED, a young GIRL, assist Housework, sleep home. Hazeldean, 156 Victoria-st. Nth., D'hurst.

WANTED, thoroughly competent HOUSEMAID, personal references. Apply 20 Macleay-st., Potts Pt.

WANTED, a WOMAN for tea bar, also HOUSEMAID. Victoria Coffee Palace, 208 Pitt-st.

WANTED, a useful GIRL, must be fond of children. 123 Brighton-st., Petersham.

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WANTED, superior Girl, as Mother's HELP. Mrs. Arthur King, 6 Hanks-st., Ashfield.

WANTED, respectable Person, to do light duties, small family, small wages. 209 Glebe-rd.

WANTED, General SERVANT, must cook nicely, no washing, 10s. [illegible] Rooms, 8 Corso, Manly.

WANTED, thor. GENERAL, sml. fam., must be good cook, high wgs. 10 Point Piper-rd., Paddington.

WANTED, good WASHER. Apply after 9 o'clock, Mrs. Rogers, Bedford Hotel, Wells-st., Redfern.

WANTED, Girl as GENERAL, light place. Apply 114 Albion-st., Annandale.

WANTED, g. Kit'maid, another kept, g. wages. West End Dining Rooms, 198 Geo.-st. W. W. Richardson.

WANTED, resp. PERSON or Young Girl assist and mind 2 child. (walking). Myra, 62 Hereley-st., Padd.

WANTED, a competent COOK, sleep out. Apply The Towers, 241 Macquarie-st.

WANTED, COOKS, 16s, 20s; Gens, 8s, 14s, H.P. M's, Nurse and assist., 8s, refs. Tollfree, Liverpool-rd, Ash.

WANTED, competent GENERAL, small fam., no shirts, pers. refs. Argyle, Upper Wm.-st., D'hurst.

WANTED, a smart WOMAN used to hotel work. Call Chicago Hotel, 109 George-st. N.

WANTED, good respect. Girl as GENERAL, small family. Apply Brooklyn, Bellevue-st., North Shore.

WANTED, smart GIRL, generally useful, wages 5s per week. 185 King-st., Newtown.

WANTED, useful MAN about the premises. Lees, Woodstock, 130 Glenmore-rd., Paddington.

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WANTED, BOY, look after pony, and usef., 5s wk., g. home. 66 Dowling-st., Moore Park, Redfern.

WANTED, smart LAD, about 15, able to drive. Apply bet. 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., 63 George-st., Camperdown.

WANTED, respectable Girl as NURSE. Apply Royal Hotel, William-st., city.

WANTED, resp. GIRL, few days, assist housework, sleep home. 40 John-st., Erskineville.

WANTED, energetic, steady young Man, drive storekeeper's cart. E. Williams, Victoria-st., Rookwood.

WANTED, HOUSEMAID, assist in bar. Apply after 10 a.m., City Club Hotel, Young-st.

WANTED, a respectable Girl as GENERAL, all duties. 553 Dowling-st., Moore Park.

WANTED, young GIRL, for housework. C. Kracht, news agent, near St. Peters station.

WANTED, a BOY about 16, generally useful about house. 362 Moore Park-rd.

WANTED, General SERVANT, also 2 Waitresses. 635 George-st., Haymarket, early.

WANTED, MARRIED COUPLE, wife cook, laundress, man garden, milk, horse, references; state wages.
Mrs. RONALD CAMERON,
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WANTED, a Widow Lady (good housekeeper), without encumbrance, to take charge of gentleman's house (principally during absence of family), one servant kept. Address, in first instance, Intercolonial, Herald.

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WANTED, for Warwick, Queensland, a respectable young Woman (with child walking) as General SERVANT; fare paid. Apply with refs., Monday morning, to 18 Chandos-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, a LAD, with knowledge of gardening, to make himself otherwise useful.
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WANTED a young PARLOURMAID. Apply, with references, 12 to 3 to-day,
Mrs. FRED. ORR, Faling,
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WANTED, competent COOK, personal references. Apply Monday morning.
Mrs. L. W. LEVY, Cabora,
167 Macleay-street.

WANTED, smart GENERAL, good plain cook, 3 fam., another servant kept, good wages.
Apply Tarnoola, Carabella-street, N. Sydney, near ferry. Refs.

WANTED, a refined Lady, immediately, to undertake the duties of a NURSE only to one infant and 2 children, must have had experience with infants, good needlewoman, fond country.
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WANTED, a MARRIED COUPLE, without encumbrance, to look after a house and garden, the man to attend to the garden, the wife to act as Cook and Laundress. Apply to
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Between 10 and 11 a.m.

YOUNG GENERAL for N. Shore line, small household. Wages and reference to Parr, Herald Office.

YOUNG smart Man, medium height, as Coachman, sub., 15s and keep, refs. Layard, 25 Elizabeth-st.

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CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

[Extracted from the diary of Miss Elsie Selwyn, of Moorfield, Yorks.]

Nov. —th. I discovered this morning that both my brother and that horrid man Borio have left Moorfield for London. Jenkins the butler was my informant.

He is unable to give me any further information.

I was descending to breakfast when I caught sight of him in the hall. He looked so exceedingly pale that I inquired if he were ill. He seemed to be confused at my question, but presently replied, "Not at all, thank you, Miss," as he opened the breakfast-room door. I am writing up my diary by the fire before lunch, as I have nothing else to do. How I do detest that Jenkins! I cannot imagine what my father sees in the fellow that he should always speak so highly of him. That horrid over-your-head stare has always made me mistrust him. Yet I suppose this is a foolish womanly prejudice, for Jenkins certainly performs his duties with regularity and promptness; and then he gets on well with Jack—that is a great thing in his favour. Poor dear Jack! why was he so angry with Cousin Charles? Of all the manly lovable men Sir Charles is—but there, if ever this diary falls into other hands the reader shall not say that I confided to it all my thoughts—only I do wish that Jack had been a little more gentlemanly to his cousin.

There—I must stop! Jenkins has just brought word that Mrs. Wilkinson of Hill Top Farm wishes to see me, so I shall return to this diary later.

Same day, 10 p.m. This has been a day of extraordinary and perplexing discoveries. Mrs. Wilkinson wished to see me privately. She told me that a woman had been taken ill at her house—a foreigner, she said, whose language she could not understand, and that she would like me to see her. I found that on the previous day the woman had appeared at the farm and had fallen down in a faint at the door. "I never set 'een on t' woman afoor," said Dame Wilkinson, "and I could see 'at t' poor lass wor clemm'd wi' cold an' hunger."

I told her that I would return with her. On the way she confided to me other details about her patient.

"I could na' turn t' woman out t' doors, she wor that badly." And then I learnt that the good dame had summoned to her assistance two of her neighbours, and that together they had placed the woman in Mrs. Wilkinson's own bed, where she had laid for a long time unconscious, but that this morning she had recoverd her senses. On entering the house I at once saw that the stranger lying in the dame's 'turn up' bedstead was no native of this country. She was a woman of about 50 years of age, still good looking, with a wealth of long jet black hair which hung in glossy tresses over the pillow. Her eyes were black also—that liquid black which is so thoroughly characteristic of the Spanish race. She was pale—but not so pale as an English woman would have been under the circumstances, on account of the olive hue of her complexion.

"I understand that you are ill," I said, approaching the bed.

She murmured a few words in Spanish and turned her head away with a deep sigh.

Now I cannot claim to be a Spanish scholar but I can read the language, and speak it a little—though with very indifferent pronunciation I fear. So I leaned over the bed and addressed a few consoling words to her in her own tongue.

The effect was magical. The sick woman instantly turned towards me, while a flush mounted into her cheeks.

"Thanks be to God," she gasped, speaking in Spanish, as she rose from the pillow, clutching my hand with both hers.

"Thanks be to God," she repeated, gazing fixedly into my face. She was about to say more, but a spasm of pain seized her, and she fell back again in a fainting condition.

We gave her some brandy, and I stayed at the house until she had dropped into an uneasy slumber. Then, telling Dame Wilkinson that I would return, I went home, wondering greatly who the poor creature might be, and how she had found her way into our remote valley.

The distance between Wilkinson's farm and Moorfield is considerable, and I was so very tired on my arrival that I despatched Jenkins with a note to say that I should be unable to return, and stating at the same time that I should like to be responsible for the expense of nursing the invalid. I am sure that Dame Wilkinson will spare no pains in tending this strange patient; but owing to the failure of the Mill she is poor.

Jenkins returned at 4 o'clock. He reported that Mrs. Wilkinson gave an encouraging account of the woman's condition. Jenkins said that he did not enter the house. Subsequently he complained of a headache and asked if he might go to bed. Of course I gave permission.

I sat over the fire for some time after dinner wondering what had become of my father and why he does not write to me. Although at no time a good correspondent, in his absences from home he has usually sent me a few lines from time to time. For, in his way, father cares for me I believe, though I sometimes wish he were a little more demonstrative in his affection. I should like also to see a better feeling between him and Jack, though I must confess that the present state of affairs is largely Jack's own fault.

I now come to the perplexing discoveries, of which I have already written.

About an hour ago—to be exact it was at five minutes past nine by the clock in the hall—I went to my bedroom to fetch a bundle of letters, among them one of Cousin Charles's, which I was particularly anxious to peruse again.

As I passed Jack's room I was particularly startled to notice a gleam of light shining through the almost closed door. Had Jack returned, then, and without my knowledge? I pushed the door open a little, very quietly, and peeped in. The candle was on the dressing-table, and near it, with his back towards the door, knelt a man. He was bending over a drawer under the same dressing table and as I looked he raised his head. I then saw that he had taken from the drawer a coat. It was a light drab overcoat. I recognised it instantly as Jack's; and at the same time I saw that the man was none other than Jenkins the butler. Drawing back from the door without making the slightest sound I crept downstairs again, trembling with fright. As soon as I had recovered myself I rang for one of the maids.

"I am a little nervous, and Jenkins has gone to bed," I said, "so come with me and see if the windows are fastened. We will begin upstairs."

The girl looked surprised, but said nothing, and came upstairs with me readily enough. I tried to look unconcerned, but I could feel my limbs tremble as we ascended the stairs. There was now no light in Jack's room—I saw this before we reached the door. Jenkins had disappeared, and there was no sign that the room had been entered except a letter on the floor, which evidently had been dropped from the drab overcoat. I picked it up and tried to open the drawer in order that I might replace it, but I found that it was locked. So we examined the windows upstairs and then those in the downstairs rooms. And now I have just done a thing which is usually considered to be mean in the extreme—I have read the letter.

It is from Borio, and addressed to my brother.

"*Dear old Cock*,—

"I have received your letter, but am sorry that I cannot obtain a further loan of the 'needful.' Try the old boy again; he is bound to give in at last. What a pity he doesn't retire to a better (or worse!) sphere and leave you in possession. Since I saw you I have discovered something interesting about myself, of which more shall be said when we meet. Let me know if anyone turns up in your neighbourhood claiming to be my relative, and don't believe anything you may hear about me.

"Yours ever,
"Alfonso Borio.

"P.S.—Don't forget that the interest is due on the 1st of next month."

(To be continued.)

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC NOTES.

Now that the London theatres have begun to shut up it is painful to read of the destitution prevailing in theatrical circles in the great metropolis. Since the death of Queen Victoria things have been very bad indeed, and speaking in the middle of July the secretary of the Actors' Benevolent Fund remarked that "at present they are shocking." On July 12 Wyndham's and the St. James's Theatre closed, the Bernhardt-Coquelin season at Her Majesty's had but one more night to run, and the Japanese at the Criterion, Mme. Rejane at the Globe, "Women are so Serious" at the Court, and the "Second in Command" at the Haymarket were in similar case. "Last nights" were notified at a dozen other playhouses, so that the "small artists" are likely to have a long and unasked-for vacation of about eight weeks before them. It is not only the fact that theatres are closing, but also the knowledge that there can be no fresh productions of importance that makes the outlook so gloomy. In America the period during which the theatres close for the summer is much longer than it is in England, whilst the actor whose lot is cast in Australia works under the most favourable conditions of all, as the principal companies tour all the year round without cessation. The "St. James's Gazette," commenting upon the hardships of theatrical life, remarks:—"The actor who finds himself back in London, without means and without work, is indeed in a tight corner. He seeks here and there for a situation—no vacancy. Day after day he goes 'the round of the agents,' and in the waiting-room of each finds a dozen or 20 fellow professionals on the same quest—'after an engagement.' Weeks may pass in this way, and the pinch of poverty become more and more acutely felt; then at last an engagement may be obtained. But the trouble is not yet over. A fortnight or more has to be devoted to rehearsals, and for these there is generally no pay at all. Then the tour commences, and all may be well for awhile, though it is just as likely that the piece is not a success. If the latter, anxiety soon possesses the company; they are not blind to the probabilities. Experience has taught the players to expect that, unless the promoters of the tour are of good repute, their salaries will be reduced, and still further reduced, and the day may be not far distant when they are to learn that the *funds are quite exhausted*, or to find that the manager has left hastily with his cashbox for they know not where, forgetting to discharge his liabilities before doing so. Then it is that the good offices of the benevolent fund are required, and are often forthcoming." Without wishing to deepen the Cimmerian gloom of this depressing picture, Australian experiences in such cases tempts one to add "and often they are not."

Mr. Elvy, head of the noted firm of Messrs. Elvy and Co., of this city, has received a newspaper chronicling the death of Signora Antoinetta Link, at New York, under the saddest circumstances. According to the journal in question, the dramatic soprano was in actual want, saw no future before her, and committed suicide. The late Signora Link was a German singer who enjoyed an operatic career of high distinction. She sang all over Europe, and, visiting Australia in 1878, made her debut at the Sydney School of Arts at a concert at which Herr Kretschmann was the violinist. In the original production of "Lohengrin" at the Sydney Victoria Theatre in 1879, Signora Link was the Elsa, with Signora Fabris as Ortrud, Signor Pallandini in the name part, and Mr. Templeton (father of Mr. Lempriere Pringle) as Frederick of Telramund. Signora Link also created in Australia the role of Aida. Signora Link then returned to Europe, singing frequently at Berlin and throughout Italy, but about 10 years later settled in Sydney. She still possessed a glorious soprano voice, rich, full, and dramatic, and appeared constantly with the Philharmonic and Amateur Orchestral societies under Signor Hazon's baton. There being no career in this city for a singer of the first rank, Signora Link worked hard as a teacher. The brilliant operatic artist never liked professorial work, however, comparing herself with a racer harnessed to a plough, and in February, 1893, she left Australia for ever, proposing to resume her concert and operatic career in New York. No more was heard of her until she forwarded to the musical and dramatic critic of the "Herald" an announcement of her (second) marriage, asking that it might be made public in this column. Her marriage to a Mr. William Harney, of Brooklyn, took place at Christ's Lutheran Church, New York, in August, 1894. No further news of the popular prima donna reached Australia until the event of her sad death now recorded.

Signorina Dalia Bassich, the young prima donna whose death scene as Mimi proved so touching, will always be remembered in Australia for her rare grace and pathos as an actress. We must call her the Duse of the new Italian company. This dark Italian singer is a native of Trieste, but by descent from her grandfather she is a Dalmatian. Signorina Bassich was trained at Milano by Signora Galletti, a once famous diva, who brought her out as a mezzo-soprano six years ago. The young artist made her debut at San Remo in "Manon Lescaut," and also sang there in "I Promessi Sposi"—not the beautiful opera by Ponchielli, which Signor Roberto Hazon conducted here in 1887, but another one by Enrico Petrella. Petrella's version was produced in 1869, 13 years after Ponchielli's, and it seems strange that he should have followed the more famous composer on the same subject. Petrella's music is not known out of Italy. After this debut the new mezzo-soprano was kept busily employed, singing at the Carlo Felice, Genoa, at Brescia, and even at Cairo. Signorina Bassich sang the part of Amneris on the very stage where Verdi's great opera was originally produced by the Khedive of Egypt, and she also made a success as Ortruda in "Lohengrin." After singing in "La Favorita" and in Di Franchetti's opera, "Azrael," the young artist discovered that her voice was becoming a soprano. Hard work bravely undertaken gave her a new repertoire, and she was entrusted by Giordano with the creation of the chief role in his new opera "Fedora," which she sang also at his birth-place, Foggia. Signorina Bassich has only appeared as a soprano during 12 months, but that period includes also the new opera "Andrea Chenier." Operagoers will not lose sight of the dark Dalmatian diva this season as she will sing Santuzza, Fedora, and Desdemona (Verdi's "Otello") besides repeating her success as Mimi. Signorina Bassich is visiting Australia under the care of her brother.

Mr. J. C. Williamson returned this week from a visit to Melbourne, where he left Mr. Wilson Barrett hard at work upon preparations for his hitherto unstaged drama "The Christian King." The new play will be spectacular as well as historical, and, as Alfred the Great was the founder of the English navy, the piece will include a tableau depicting a battle at sea—probably between the English and the Danes. As regards Mrs. Potter's return to Australia, Mr. Williamson describes her as anxious to play "Za-Za," the rights of which he holds for this country. The actor-manager, however, whilst pronouncing the American beauty "an angel," adds that without Mr. Kyrle Bellew, the Australian public would regard her "an angel with only one wing, maimed, and limping around." He will, therefore, stay his hand until the length of Mr. Bellew's term of engagement in the United States, where he opens next November in "A Gentleman of France" at Chicago, has been clearly defined. In his department of comic opera, Mr. Williamson has learned by cable that "The Belle of New York" is running well at Perth, whilst the interest in "Florodora" continues almost unabated at Brisbane.

In Melbourne Mr. Wilson Barrett has been appearing in one of his best characters as Pete Quilliam in "The Manxman." Miss Lilah M'Carthy was the new Kate Cregeen, and Mr. Basil Gill appeared for the first time as the remorseful Christian. Otherwise the old cast of three years ago was retained, with Mr. Ambrose Manning as the genial yet hypocritical Caesar Cregeen, Mr. Horace Hodges as Ross Christian, and Miss Daisy Belmore as Nancy. This evening "The Sign of the Cross" is to be revived, and Melbourne playgoers will thus see many of the original cast, for though Miss Maud Jeffries is absent it must be remembered that Miss M'Carthy played Mercia for several months at the Lyric Theatre. Mr. Charles Arnold's production of "Why Smith Left Home" is drawing crowded houses at the Princess Theatre, and Mr. Bland Holt's revival of "The White Heather" at the Theatre Royal is likely to enjoy a long run.

Signor Carlo Dani is probably the youngest member of Mr. J. C. Williamson's Italian Opera Company, his stage career covering a period of only three years. Before that the athletic singer was celebrated as a bicycist, crowning his many victories by winning a prize of 30,000f. in 1894, and thus securing the title of Champion of All Italy. Born 26 years ago at "fair Firenze," Signor Dani studied singing there under Signor Contrucci. It was at Florence, too, at the Teatro Pagliano, that the young tenor made his debut as the Duke in "Rigoletto," with Casini, a noted baritone, as the hunchback. Signor Dani, whose beautiful voice will give him a great career, has sung also at Lucerne and other cities. He already has a repertoire of 18 operas, but he prefers modern works, such as "La Boheme" and "Fedora."

Mr. Robert Brough will give a particularly interesting revival of "The Amazons" next Saturday. Mrs. Brough as Lady Noeline, Miss Emma Temple as Lady Thomasina, and Mr. Cecil Ward as Viscount Tweenwayes (one of his best characters) alone remaining of the former casts. Mr. Brough as Viscount Littlerly, Mr. Leslie Victor as the Comte de Grival, Miss Susie Vaughan as the Marchioness, and Miss Chatteris as Lady Wilhelmina will all be new.

NEW MUSIC.

Messrs. Nicholson and Co. forward a number of new songs of a higher standard than usual. L. Denza's "Serenade in Summer" is a really charming song, the high vocal part of which presents a captivating melody, whilst the accompaniment is guitar-like. "I am Thine," by Eric Meyer-Helmund, is a singularly graceful song which possesses a winning quality of dainty distinction. "Das Taube Mutterlein" (mother love) is a thoroughly good piece of music, by Maude Valerie White, in which the subject is perhaps rather heavily treated. D'Auvergne Barnard's "Cara Mia" has a sentimental refrain in valse time, which is decidedly attractive. "In the Glad June Time," by the same composer, will find admirers. It is well written, yet commonplace. "Once I Loved a Maiden Fair," from a series of old English songs by Horatio Parker, is clever, but not especially taking, nor does it replace the old melody which everyone associates with the verse. Two songs by C. B. Hawley call for comment. "Molly's Eyes" is a musicianly song with some good things in it, but lacking in melody; "I Wait for Thee," on the other hand, though the intervals are rather long for the singer, makes a really effective tenor song. "Eyes of Blue," by Oley Speaks, is an original song, well harmonised, and in every way acceptable. "My Redeemer and My Lord" is a devotional contralto aria, by Dudley Buck, which may be cordially recommended for cathedral or concert-room use. "My Love Nell" is an Ulster ballad, the pretty and piquant music of which, by C. Milligan Fox, is in the Irish style. "La Lune Blanche" is one of Ethelbert Nevin's "Songs from Vine-Acre." It is quaint, sprightly, and Gallic in character. "'Tis Night," by Frank Lambert, is a tender serenade for baritone or mezzo-soprano. "King Edward VII." is a thoroughly good pianoforte march by Fabian Rose. It is in the pomposo manner, and is moreover full of animation.

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CURRENT LITERATURE.

WAR IMPRESSIONS.

Mr. Mortimer Menpes, the South Australian artist who has made himself famous, went out to South Africa and met great men and saw the doing of great deeds. Naturally, he made sketches of all these things, and when he returned to England he showed these to his daughter, Dorothy Menpes, at the same time telling her of what he had seen. It occurred to Miss Menpes that here were the materials of a book, whereupon she started to write down all her father said. The result is "War Impressions: being a record in colour by Mortimer Menpes, transcribed by Dorothy Menpes" (Adam and Charles Black). It is not too much to say that this is one of the most interesting of the many interesting books which this war has inspired. We do not insist upon the letterpress, though here also Mr. Menpes has done good work. His chapter entitled "Personalities" is as excellent a thing of the kind as has been written. It includes vivid pen-sketches of men like the Duke of Norfolk, the Duke of Marlborough—a "pleasant-faced, dignified, and yet very boyish-looking man"—Prince Francis of Teck, Mr. Rudyard Kipling—"a short, sturdy, spectacled young man, clad in the inevitable khaki"—Dr. Conan Doyle, Mr. Winston Churchill—"a curious combination of hypersensitiveness and rather ordinary placidity." Then for the soldiers. "We want blood, we want blood" is the keynote of the conversation Mr. Menpes held with General Hector Macdonald, who thinks that the British have been too lenient with the Boers. Then there was General French, "quite the shyest man in the British Army"—which may not mean much after all—and, though the finest cavalry leader of the day, looking "less like a cavalry officer than anyone I ever saw." And Mr. Menpes has much to tell us about General Pole-Carew, who, men say, is to be the first Commander-in-Chief of the forces in the Commonwealth of Australia. "General Pole-Carew," says Mr. Menpes, "is the handsomest man in the army"—which means a good deal—"and, I should think, one of the generals with the greatest common-sense. He always wears a seraphic smile; Sir Henry Irving's is the only smile I know that can approach it. The Guard Brigade under General Pole-Carew has changed; his men *simply worship* him. He is a middle-aged man, with a complexion that any girl would covet, it is so fresh and clear; his hair is just beginning to turn grey; he is not tall, but well-preserved. He is a smart, dapper fellow, without a speck of dust on his boots. Even in the midst of battle he is always smart."

"It seems a presumption in me to ask you to sit, sir," said Mr. Mortimer Menpes to Lord Roberts. "Ah, Mr. Menpes, don't talk of presumption," said the great little man who wins all hearts as well as all battles; "don't talk of presumption; it is a great pleasure to sit to you and I am delighted that we have you with us to secure a colour record of what will be an historic war." And indeed Mr. Menpes's pictures of the men engaged in this war and of various incidents in the campaign are worthy of the great occasion. The book will be invaluable before many years have passed. This is certainly not a matter of surprise. Mr. Menpes has put some of his best work into this "record in colour." He has been able to combine in his portraits of great men the accuracy of the photographer with the inspiration of the artist—and what a field the artist had here! These pictures of Lord Roberts and Mr. Cecil Rhodes (though Mr Menpes makes the great man look occasionally like a masked burglar) and of other people, some of whom we have mentioned above, are worth much intrinsically, and faithful portraits would always command purchasers. But these pictures, this "record in colour," of the men who have won fame in the Boer war, are from the studio of an artist—an artist, too, who has not disdained to ally his genius with a wholesome regard for accuracy. Mr. Menpes has given us here a view of the war, and of scenes in the war, and of striking places in the country concerned which is altogether admirable. Besides those mentioned there are portraits of Lord Milner, Mr. Rudyard Kipling, General Cronje, Major Albrecht, and others less known to fame. The fac-simile letters from Lord Roberts, General French, General Pole-Carew, General Hector Macdonald, and Dr. Steinmetz will be read with interest.

SOCIALISM IN AUSTRALASIA.

Of five travelling bursaries placed at the disposal of the University of Paris, one was given to M. Albert Metin, who had for some time been engaged in the study of the treatment of economic and social questions in the British Empire. Seizing this opportunity, he spent eighteen months (1898-1900) in travelling round the world, and a third of this period he devoted to the study of the social conditions of Australia and New Zealand—"countries," he says, "in which the State has imposed limits on the rights of property, has established the eight hours' day, a minimum wage, compulsory arbitration, together with a host of other measures which have gained for the British colonies at the antipodes the title of 'The Paradise of the Working Man.'" The results of M. Metin's inquiries are contained in "Le Socialisme sans Doctrines: la question agraire et la question ouvriere en Australie et Nouvelle-Zelande." It is not too much to say that the book is a valuable contribution to the literature of the subject. It contains a mass of information, scientifically arranged. M. Metin has not trusted to imagination or to one-sided evidence for his facts. He has gone to headquarters for them, and he has been punctiliously careful to verify the statements made. The general conclusion at which he arrives is that the Australian workman is a socialist without quite knowing it; not because he believes in socialism as a theory, but because he believes that some of the results which are supposed to be due to socialism will do good to him individually. "When I asked a workman to sum up his programme for labour legislation, he replied: 'My programme! Ten bob a day.'" The distinction is drawn in another place: "Western Europe is richer in doctrines, Australasia in realities. It is to England that the best informed and most earnest reformers in the antipodes go for the principles on which to establish the laws which they propose to derive from general considerations. It is in Australia, on the contrary, that we must study the application of measures which have been proposed in Europe again and again, but have never yet been put into practice. Australasia has not added much to the study of social philosophy, but it has gone further than any other country in the way of experiments."

It is much to M. Metin's credit that he has been able to give us so excellent a view of the labour movement in Australasia. But that is not all. It was necessary for his purpose that his readers should possess a knowledge of the main features of Australasian life, from the geographical peculiarities of the continent to the political systems of the Commonwealth and the various States. Here, too, the book is clear and accurate. Little mistakes may occur. For instance, M. Metin does not seem to apprehend exactly the difference between the Federal Council and the Federal Conventions, but this is natural enough. Again, Melbourne is not the largest Australian city, nor is it correct to say that it was "the Government of Sydney" that appointed the commission that led to the passing of the Trade Disputes Conciliation and Arbitration Act of 1892. By the way, it is of course a mistake to say of the late Dr. Garran that he was editor of the "Herald" when he became president of the board established by this Act. We have chiefly mentioned these matters to show how comparatively trifling are the errors into which M. Metin falls. The accuracy of his work is paralleled by the conciseness as well as the soundness of his conclusions. Thus "seamen are better protected by the laws in Australasia than in most European countries;" or, "freetrade is especially dear to Sydney, which, thanks to this policy, has become the most frequented port in Australian waters." Talking about capitalists and workmen, M. Metin says that "the contemporary history of Australasia is the struggle between these two classes for the possession of the soil and for the conditions of labour." Again, speaking about the condition of politics in New South Wales on the fall of the Reid Ministry, M. Metin says that "the labour party maintains an expectant attitude, and, in order to gain its support, the new Ministry has proposed an arbitration law." Whether we agree or not with the author, readers must feel that he has presented us with a valuable work, full of elaborate details and careful generalisations.

MAIN CURRENTS IN NINETEENTH CENTURY LITERATURE.

We receive from the publisher, Mr. William Heinemann, the first volume of what promises to be an important and scholarly contribution to the study of literature. It is entitled "Main Currents in Nineteenth Century Literature," and it is written by Dr. George Brandes, the distinguished and erudite author of "William Shakespeare: A Critical Study." The first volume has to do with "The Emigrant Literature" of the first half of last century. Owing their inspiration to Rousseau, the members of this school were influenced largely by the great uprooting of affairs which was caused by the French Revolution, or by the turmoil which preceded it. In this school Dr. Brandes counts Rousseau, of course, Chateaubriand, Goethe, Senancour, Nodier, Benjamin Constant, Madame de Stael, and Prosper de Barante. They are mainly the authors of books written in exile, and naturally enough they are inspired by a reactionary feeling, or, at the least, it must be admitted of them that they are not laudatory of new methods. Dr. Brandes describes the work of the great writers we have mentioned as "a species of Romanticism anticipating more especially the great Romantic School of France." Readers nowadays are perhaps too ready to accept the individual gifts of the gods in the way of literature without seeking to generalise, but, without a doubt, the systematic arrangement of literature under general headings has a great charm to the mere dilettante as well as to the serious student.

CHARLES STUART CALVERLEY.

Sir Walter T. Sendall has found time in such leisure as he could secure in the due discharge of his duties as Governor of British Guiana to write an interesting biographical notice by way of preface to "The Complete Works of C. S. Calverley" (George Bell and Sons). We are perhaps too much accustomed to regard Calverley as a parodist only. He was more than this, and if the dread Fury with abhorred shears had not cut his life short we should probably have had much better and more durable work by which to remember his name. A man so highly esteemed by his fellows for wit and scholarship could surely have contributed more largely to the wealth of English literature. He lacked, however, the spur of narrow means—or no means—which has driven many a man to put forth his best efforts, and we have only to be thankful for what he did. The volume before us contains all his works, and by far the greater proportion of the space is occupied by translations of Greek and Latin poetry into English, and of English poetry into Greek and Latin. Those who know tell us that these translations from the English are admirable in taste and purity of diction. He will be chiefly remembered by English readers as the parodist of Browning and Christina Rossetti.

THE MIDDLE AGES.

Professor R. Lodge, of the University of Edinburgh, treats a difficult subject in a remarkably able manner in "The Close of the Middle Ages, 1273-1494" (Rivingtons). Students of the period will readily understand the obstacles which stand in the way of a presentation of the events in these two centuries which shall be at once concise, informing, and interesting. There is a bewildering maze of dates and names and events and treaties and alliances and personalities, and it would almost seem impossible to combine these in such a form as to furnish a book which would be not only instructive but attractive. Professor Lodge, however, has succeeded so far as success was possible, and the student of his little book will get a good grasp of European history towards the close of the Middle Ages.

AMPHIBIA AND REPTILES.

Dr. Hans Gadow may have intended his fine work "Amphibia and Reptiles" (Macmillan and Co.) for the exclusive use of students of these subjects—"Herpetologists," as such students are pleasingly styled by themselves and brother scientists. His intention, however, will not prevent persons who are not "herpetological" *from* enjoying, so far as they can, the bright and interesting accounts which Dr. Gadow gives. Field naturalists, too, will find their account in this profusely illustrated book, whilst morphologists will fairly revel in it.

AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION.

Sir John Cockburn, late Agent-General for South Australia, was a member of the different conferences which led up to the establishment of the Commonwealth of Australia, and, if on that account alone, his little book "Australian Federation" would be deemed worthy of notice. But, besides, Sir John has on more than one occasion been Premier of his colony; and when he was not Premier he was either a member of the Ministry or a prominent Oppositionist. He may be taken as one of the best types of Australian politicians—a man of high standing in his own profession, who displayed much earnestness and ability in his service of the State. Such a man is eminently qualified to write the history of the federation of Australia, but unfortunately the book before us is fragmentary and disjointed. It contains what the French call "memoires pour servir," but there is no sort of successful attempt to present the great movement as a whole to the world, and yet this matter of the establishment of the Commonwealth of Australia well deserves a good history and a good historian. Sir John Cockburn has contributed something to the history which will one day be written—but he might have done more. It is worth noticing that in a short introduction to the book Sir Charles Dilke admits the wisdom shown by Sir Henry Parkes in holding aloof from the Federal Council.

OLIVER CROMWELL

A sort of index to Dr. Gardiner's notable works: "A History of the Great Civil War," and "A History of the Commonwealth and the Protectorate" (the third volume of which we noticed the other day) is furnished in "Oliver Cromwell," by Samuel Rawson Gardiner (Longmans, Green, and Co.). This little book does not go into the multifarious details which had to be considered in the author's other books. As the preface says, "it gives within a short compass a history of Oliver Cromwell from a biographical point of view." Oliver is the central figure, and important movements are mainly considered with regard to his participation in them, and to the influences which they had on his career. Dr. Gardiner is frankly an admirer of the Protector, but this does not prevent him from stating historical facts fairly and from emphasising blame where blame is needed. The student of the period will find the book of great use.

SOME STORIES.

"Souls of Passage," by Amelia E. Barr (Unwin's Colonial Library), derives its title from the theory of reincarnation held by one of the prominent characters. This personage, Ian Macrae, is a fine old Scotch gentleman, the impersonation of all that is good and pleasant in old age. Peter M'Duff is rather a contrast in this respect, and his son, Shaw, takes after him. The girls in the tale are charming Scotch lassies, and their love-stories make pleasant reading.

In "Yorke the Adventurer and other Stories" (Unwin's Colonial Library) Louis Becke draws upon his inexhaustible supply of adventures in the South Seas. The story which gives its name to the book relates the strange experiences amongst savage natives of Captain Yorke of the cutter Francesca, of how he single-handed drove a swarm of them from his ship, of how he kept them from boarding by an ingenious device, and of how generally he protected his life and property in dangerous times. Besides other stories there are useful articles on "The Black Bream of Australia," and "Poisonous Fish of the Pacific Islands."

"Penelope's Irish Experiences," by Kate Douglas Wiggin (which reaches us from Messrs. Angus and Robertson), is a worthy sequel to "Penelope's English Experiences" and "Penelope's Experiences in Scotland." That is sufficient commendation to those who have read these two charming books. The book is full of delightful travel-talk, and Mrs. Wiggin's humour—she makes Penelope a descendant of an Irish king for the purpose of the tour—is bright and genial under the influences of Irishmen and Irishwomen from the palace to the cottage.

"The Modern Argonauts," considered by many to be the finest of Mme. Eliza Orzeszko's novels, has been translated by Count C. S. de Soissons (Greening's Colonial Library). The one aim of the life of the principal character is to add golden fleece to golden fleece. In the process he loses, because he does not value, the pleasures of domestic happiness. His wife and son and one of his daughters become estranged from the man who thinks more of his gold than of them. Death steps in and takes from him his other daughter, the only human being who loved him for himself. It is a powerful story, told with much vigour and directness.

"Tales that are Told," by Mary Findlater and Jane Helen Findlater (Methuen and Co.), is a collection of stories which will be read with interest. The prevailing theme of them all is domestic in its influences and concerns, but, after all, domestic influences and the troubles and joys rising from domestic relations fill a far larger space in ordinary life than occurrences of heroic character. It is a way with some ladies who write to wring their reader's heart with pathetic stories. Our authors are not entirely to be acquitted on this ground, but they generally relax and allow a happy ending.

When Mr. William John Courthope occupied the position of Professor of Poetry in the University of Oxford he had, in accordance with custom, to deliver three lectures yearly during his tenure of the chair. These lectures are now republished under the title: "Life in Poetry: Law in Taste" (Macmillan and Co). The book is full of wise comments and of instructive inferences.

Mr. Arthur Card forwards his instructive paper on "The Teaching of Juniors."

The beautiful story of Eros and Psyche, familiar in all nurseries under whatever name, is charmingly retold by Dr. Paul Carus in "Eros and Psyche: A fairy tale of Ancient Greece" (The Open Court Publishing Company). The illustrations by Paul Thumann enrich the little book.

What is Ritschlianism from the point of view of Ritschl himself? is the question which Professor Albert T. Swing sets himself to answer in "The Theology of Albrecht Ritschl" (Longmans, Green, and Co.). Mr. Swing can at least claim that he has set the matter forward with much clearness.

Mr. Edmond Kelly endeavours in "Government or Human Evolution: Individualism and Collectivism" (Longmans, Green, and Co.) to define the two theories named in the sub-title, and to determine their respective use and consequence. The author has an evident leaning in the direction of collectivism, but, notwithstanding, the evidence which he adduces and the facts which he mentions in argument will be found of interest.

"How to Read the Money Article," by Charles Duguid (Effingham Wilson), has now got into its third edition. The writer explains for the behoof of newspaper readers the technicalities and the abstruse allusions of the commercial columns of the daily paper. His explanation is clear and vivid.

Mr. David Davenport's "With the Churchwardens" (Simpkin, Marshall, Hamilton, Kent, and Co.), is a series of interesting conversations on ecclesiastical subjects between an Anglican clergyman, who has just returned to England from Australia and his churchwardens.

Messrs. Hodder, Stoughton, and Co. forward "Sermons on Isaiah: Sketches of 150 Sermons on Texts from Isaiah," by J. F. B. Tinling. The editor has collected with much care a variety of valuable notes on various passages in the book under notice.

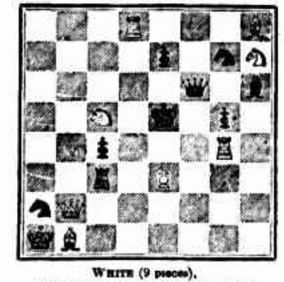
CHESS.

Hon. secretaries of chess clubs are invited to furnish news of general interest. The Editor will be happy to receive unpublished games and original problems (which should be accompanied by diagram and analysis) with a view to publication.

PROBLEM No. 443.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" Seventh International Problem Tourney.
"Happy Moments."

BLACK (9 pieces).



WHITE (9 pieces).

White to play and mate in two moves.

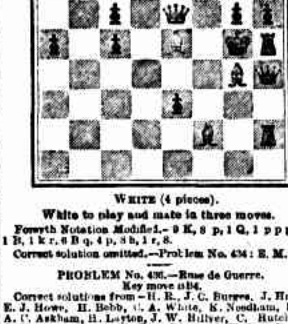
Forsyth Notation Modified.—3 R, 3 B, 4 p, 1 n N, 5 q, 1 b, 2 N, 1 k, 1 p, 3 p, 3 R, 3 r, 1 P, 3 n Q, 6 K B, 6.

Key.—Counting from Black Q R—, the initial letter of piece is put for the square occupied thereby. Numerals denote intervening blank squares. Black pieces are in small letters.

PROBLEM No. 444.

Z. Mach.
Special Prize, Aftonbladet Problem Tourney.

BLACK (11 pieces).



WHITE (4 pieces).

White to play and mate in three moves.

Forsyth Notation Modified.—9 K, 8 p, 1 Q, 1 p p p, 1 p, 1 R, 1 k r, 6 B q, 4 p, 3 b, 1 r, 8.

Correct solution omitted.—Problem No. 434: E. M. Fry.

PROBLEM No. 436.—Ruse de Guerre.
Key move [illegible].

Correct solutions from—H. R., J. C. Burgess, J. Harvey, E. J. Howe, H. Bebb, C. A. White, K. Needham, Level, A. C. Askham, H. Layton, J. W. Hillyer, C. Hutcheson, G. Munro, A. T. Antill, T. A. Dixon, J. Phelan, R. Hutcheson, G. Kuna, F. R. Smith, E. Farr, J. Connell, E. M. Fry, Once More.

PROBLEM No. 437.—M. Feigh.
First Prize, "Aftonbladet Problem Turnier."
Key move BK6.

Correct solutions from—F. R. Smith, E. M. Fry, J. Phelan, O. E. Albers, Once More, Level, J. W. Hillyer, T. A. Dixon, F. R. Smith, J. Connell, K. Needham, C. Hutcheson.

Correct solutions not above mentioned have reached us too late to score in tourney. They will, however, be acknowledged in our next issue.

NOTES.

The chess championship of New South Wales has evoked so much interest that it may be taken that it will in the future be an annual fixture. While on this subject it does not appear out of place to emphasise the fact that rules and regulations are made with a view to putting all competitors on exactly equal footing, and allowing no play for chivalry or generosity over points on which express conditions can be made. Thus it is quite beyond the province of one player to waive the time limit in favour of another, for the very obvious reason that other players' scores may be injuriously affected thereby. To take another example. It is the duty of each contestant to play on every occasion when he is not unavoidably prevented, and the mere fact of his having forfeited to A, whom he could not meet, is no reason for his doing so to B, whom he can. The reason is very simple. A hardship is inflicted on each player he has put to the risk of losing to him. The tourney was fully reported from day to day in our columns, and all the games appeared in them. Our issue of Wednesday contains a resume of the play.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" Seventh International Problem Tourney.—*Further positions to hand*:—Happy Moments, Daisy Bell, Sunshine, and Shower (8.)

KENT COUNTY CHESS CONGRESS.

The players in this important fixture were divided into two classes, to enable the tourney to be finished in one week, section A being won by Mr. J. H. Blake, and section B by Mr. H. E. Atkins, who played off for the first and second prizes, £10 and £6. The game resulting in a draw, the prizes were divided. The following is the score:—

Section A.		Section B.	
J. H. Blake	4 points	H. E. Atkins	4 points
C. E. C. Tattersall	4 "	L. Serraillier ...	3½ "
H. F. Lowe ...	3 "	R. P. P. Jones ...	2 "
E. G. Sergeant ...	2 "	J. Mortimer ...	2 "
G. E. Wainwright	1½ "	G. T. W. Shories	2 "
H. Ward...	1 "	W. P. M'Bean ...	1½ "

Blake and Tattersall having to play off the tie, Blake won.

Extra Tournament.—The 24 competitors were divided into sections of six players each, one lady competing in each section. The winners of the sections were Miss Finn, Mr. Dixon, Dr. H. Lewis, and the Rev. H. Falloon. The final pool for the prizes being played off, Miss Finn and Mr. Dixon divided honours.

Ladies' Tournament.—Twelve competitors played in two sections, the winners being Mrs. Chapman and Miss Eyre. Playing off, Mrs. Chapman won.

A "Knock-out Tournament," with eight entries, was played on Monday, the prizes being won and divided by C. F. Delcomque and A. B. Burgess.

A "Rapid Transit Tournament," with 32 entries, was played on Wednesday, and was won by E. B. Schwann first, and Mr. O. C. Muller second. A similar event on Thursday was won by first Mrs. Sydney, second Mr. H. F. Lowe. Mr. Blackburne played simultaneously blindfold six games on Tuesday. He won five and drew one. A consultation game, Teichmann and amateurs against Blackburne and amateurs, was won by former.—"Field."

THE MUNICH TOURNEY.

A smart game by the American in round 3.
(Scotch game.)

White, C. von Bardeleben.	Black, J. W. Showalter.		
1. PK4	PK4	11. BB4	RKt
2. KtKB3	KtQB3	12. PKR3	BQR4
3. PQ4	PxP	13. QB	RK4
4. KtxP	KtB3	14. PB4	RKR4
5. KtQB3	BKt5	15. PK5	PxP
6. KtxKt	KtPxKt	16. PxP	RxB
7. BQ3	Castles	17. PxKt	BKt3 ch
8. Castles	RK	18. KR	RxRP
9. BK	PQ3	19. PxR	QxP
10. BKKt5	PKR3	White resigns.	

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

A. T. A.: The usual plan is to enclose slip with name and address in a small envelope, sealing it, and to forward it in the large one containing diagrams. E. M. F.: Noted with thanks. J. W. H.: Regret to hear of your being handicapped by illhealth just when the four-move appeared. Canterbury-road: You omitted your name from letter; thanks for problem; we are always pleased to receive scores of games, diagrams of interesting positions, and prize problems. T. J. C.: Problem No. 436, the author's key is KtP. We shall be interested to see if you can demonstrate its unsoundness and the soundness of KKB7.

For Chronic Chest Complaints, Woods' Great Peppermint Cure, 1s 6d.—Advt.

DRAUGHTS.

All communications for this department should be addressed to the Editor, "Sydney Morning Herald," Pitt-street, Sydney.
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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

G. A. G., Junction-street, N. S.—I am unable to follow you.

H. V. C.—I use yours in this issue. Thanks.

W. B., Cardiff.—I make use of one of yours under. Thanks.

Solutions from J. B. and J. W., Newtown, J. Boyde, C. T., W. Harris, and Con. Correct.

SOLUTIONS.

PROBLEM No. 407.
(By the Editor.)

Black: 13, 14, Kings 18, 25.
White: 21, Kings 5, 19.
Black to play and win.

13—17 (a) 5—9 18—22 Black wins.

(a) Variation.

19—24	22—26	24—19	13—9	20—24	23—27
17—22	9—13	26—30	14—18	9—13	26—30
5—9	18—23	19—15	15—19	18—23	wins.

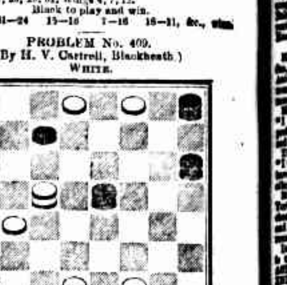
PROBLEM NO. 408.
(By J. H. S.)

Black: 11, 14, 22, 24, Kings 15, 32.
White: 21, 23, 29, 31, Kings 4, 7, 12.
Black to play and win.

24—27 31—24 15—18 7—16 18—11, &c., wins.

PROBLEM No. 409.
(By H. V. Cartrell, Blackheath.)

WHITE.



BLACK.

Black to play and draw.

This position was suggested by an ending of game played over the board recently by H. V. C.

PROBLEM No. 410.
(By W. Beaumont, Cardiff.)

Black, 3, 5, 6, 11, 24; Kings, 26, 30.
White, 9, 22, 25; Kings, 1, 4, 12, 18, 28, 29.
Black to play and win.

GAME No. 432.—Bristol.

A tourney game played between Messrs. Stormont and Mills.

Mr. Stormont moved.

11—16	18—15	2—7	22—15	8—11	7—3
24—20	14—18	17—10	5—9	16—7	6—13
16—19	27—24	7—14	25—22	3—10	3—7
23—16	7—11	31—26	14—18	15—11	1—5
12—19	26—22	18—21	29—25	10—15	7—10
22—18	9—14	26—22	9—13	11—7	6—9
10—14	22—17	11—18	20—16	4—8	White won

GAME No. 433.—Irregular.

For the following very interesting game and notes I am indebted to the "Otago Witness," played between Messrs. Brodie and Gardner in the recent championship tourney.

Mr. Gardner moved.

11—15	12—19	2—9	c23—18	22—18	10—6
24—20	27—23	21—17	7—2	11—16	25—21
9—13	11—16	9—13	18—22	18—14	6—9
22—17	20—11	25—22	2—6	16—11	21—17
15—19	5—9	16—20	3—7	14—10	32—27
23—16	17—13	23—16	10—3	11—16	17—14
12—19	10—15	15—18	1—10	10—7	9—6
25—22	b22—17	22—15	3—7	16—19	28—24
8—11	15—18	13—31	10—15	23—27	27—31
a27—23	17—10	15—10	7—11	19—23	24—19
4—8	18—27	31—27	15—19	27—32	31—27
23—16	32—23	16—11	11—16	30—25	19—15
8—12	6—15	27—23	19—23	7—10	27—24
31—27	13—6	11—7	16—11	23—18	14—10

Drawn.

(a) In a practice game at Gore, between Mr. Gardner and Mr. Penney, the latter played 17—13 with the following continuation:—

4—8	27—23	20—16	27—26	16—7	25—22
29—25	3—8	8—12	12—19	2—11	16—20
8—12	23—16	31—27	20—16	32—27	27—23
22—17	12—19	19—24	7—11	11—16	19—24

11—15. The game was drawn.

(b) 21—17 is a more likely move, but it is not so good as it looks.

(c) Missing a chance; 23—19 followed by 20—24 would have won for black.

NOTES.

Re the Premier matches:—The Forest Lodge and the East Sydney clubs have not fixed a date on which to play their first match. The contention raised at the last meeting of the council as to limiting the teams to 10 players a side is a cause of dispute, one club wishing to play a larger number while the other decides to play no more. If one club will not play more than 10 the other must abide by their decision, or lose by default.

The draughts players of Western Australia have been greatly interested in a match which commenced on June 10, 1901, in the *Beaufort Arms Hotel*, Perth. The match was for £25 a side, consisting of 20 games, and was played between Mr. J. Gardner, of Perth, and Mr. W. H. Evans. Mr. Gardner was the favourite at starting, as he was ex-champion of South Australia, and was considered invincible in the Western State. Not much was known of Mr. Evans, but his pluck in tackling the redoubtable one was highly appreciated, although most of the players thought he possessed more daring than discretion. It was arranged that play should take place each evening from 8 to half-past 10 o'clock until the result was decided. The large room was crowded with spectators while play was going on, and as many as a hundred were present some evenings. So eager were the visitors to watch the play that many stood on chairs and tables, but, notwithstanding the excitement of the onlookers, the utmost order prevailed, and due regard was paid to the comfort of the players, and nothing done to interfere with the fairness of the contest. The principals also acted in the most friendly and chivalrous spirit. Mr. J. R. Brown was referee, and Mr. F. Devlin score-taker. Three games were played on the first night. The first two were drawn, but Mr. Gardner scored a win in the third game with the White side of the "Souter." His friends were now jubilant, and being a gold colony freely offered 5 to 4, which was readily accepted, as Mr. Evans's coolness after his first defeat inspired confidence among his admirers. The second sitting was characterised by great caution on the part of both players, and three drawn games were the result. Score:—Gardner, 1; Evans, 0; drawn, 5. The third evening changed the aspect of affairs considerably, as Evans managed to win two games, and two were drawn. Gardner, 1; Evans, 2; drawn, 7. A stiff battle took place on the next evening, which resulted in Gardner equalising the scores. Gardner, 2; Evans, 2; drawn, 9. The fifth sitting took place on Saturday night, when Gardner once more came out on top by winning a game and drawing two. Gardner, 3; Evans, 2; drawn, 11. With only four games to play, Gardner's friends thought the match as good as won, but the result of the next sitting cooled their ardour considerably, as Evans won the two games played, making the score:—Evans, 4; Gardner, 3; drawn, 11. As the match drew near its close the excitement of the spectators increased, so that the final tussle on Wednesday night was witnessed by a large and keenly interested audience. When Gardner won the first game, which made the score once more level, the suppressed excitement of the onlookers was a sight worth seeing to lovers of the game, for it showed how deeply stirred usually quiet, douce folk can be when Greek meets Greek on the checker board. As the final game held in its lap £50 or nothing to either player, it is easy to imagine how the contestants would put forth their best skill to achieve victory, and it was to the Australian "Ivanhoe" that fortune smiled, for Evans won the game in good style. The match was a neck-and-neck contest throughout, and both players are to be complimented, not only on the keen contest, but on the friendly spirit in which it was played. The immediate outcome of the match is the formation of a draughts club in Perth, and the well-known enthusiast, Mr. Devlin, is giving it his hearty support.—Exchange.

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LIFE IN LONDON AND THEREABOUT.

CHRONICLED BY HENRY W. LUCY.

The Belated Opposition—Lady Tweedmouth's Party—John Morley and Mr. Gladstone—The King and the Prorogation—Declaration on Accession—Lord Rosebery—The Antarctic.

WESTMINSTER, July 12.

The meeting at the Reform Club reached the conclusion generally expected. The smoke-room was filled, its habitual frequenters after the luncheon hour grumbling in the smaller smoke-room. Everyone was in the highest spirits, all inspired by brotherly love. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman was greeted with enthusiasm, and a vote of confidence was unanimously passed. That is a brief but faithful record of what passed in the hour and a half that the historical Liberal Club was in the hands of the Liberal party. As to practical result following on the meeting, I am afraid it will prove the most inconsiderable feature in the performance. It was demonstrated that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman stood without a rival in the thankless post of leader of the Opposition. He is indispensable and inevitable; but that was known before the meeting took place, was acknowledged through the period when the leader was subjected to treatment at the hands of his nominal followers which drove him to demand a vote of confidence.

A curious, apparently a happy, conclusion of the matter is that of the three sections into which the Liberal Opposition in the House of Commons is divided. All claim to be well satisfied with the result of the meeting. The followers of Sir William Harcourt and Mr. John Morley say the reception accorded to Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman approves his action and speech at the Holborn Restaurant dinner. The central party comprised of the forty members who wrote to Mr Asquith deprecating the Hotel Cecil Dinner claim that their moderating influence has been felt in the unanimity of Tuesday's meeting. The section who find their exponents in Mr. Asquith and Sir Edward Grey insist that they have won the day since they drew from the nominal leader of the united party admission of their right to support the South African policy of the Government without being accused of treachery to the Liberal cause. This last certainly has the fullest measure of fact on its side. Mr. Asquith, and even more emphatically Sir Edward Grey, insisted on their right, whilst ranking as loyal members of the Liberal Opposition, to express their views on the settlement in South Africa, a position Sir Henry in his closing speech formally conceded.

One not illogical conclusion arrived at as the result of the Reform Club meeting was that members of the Opposition might attend the Asquith dinner without suspicion of unfriendliness to Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman. A considerable number of forty members who subscribed the protest addressed to Mr. Asquith against the Hotel Cecil dinner expressed that view on their own behalf. Before finally deciding it was thought proper to consult Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, and an interview took place yesterday morning. Sir Henry, however, expressed himself unaltered in his attitude towards the dinner. He disclaimed personal feeling towards Mr. Asquith, or doubt of his unfriendliness. But the dinner was originally ostensibly devised as a counterblast to the Holborn Restaurant banquet, and was consequently intended as a censure upon the leader of the Opposition, who was present and delivered a speech. If it were postponed till the recess this particular character would be mitigated, and Sir Henry would not only approve of Liberals being present to do honour to Mr. Asquith, but would himself attend. The result of the meeting is that the so-called central body of the Opposition will abstain from the dinner, a circumstance which affords early proof of the soundness of the conviction that the Reform Club meeting left matters much as they stood before it was summoned.

The party at Lady Tweedmouth's last night was even larger than Lady Campbell-Bannerman's of last week. Happily the crush was less, since the accommodation at Brooke House is more spacious than in Grosvenor-place. It being a sultry, summer night, the garden was utilised. Brilliantly illuminated, carpets spread, and a refreshment tent set up, it was much frequented, to the relief of the reception rooms. Several leaders, including Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, Sir William Harcourt, and Mr. Asquith were there, centres of ever-changing groups. Most of the members present at the Reform Club brought their wives and daughters. There was a larger sprinkling of Conservatives than was noted at the Grosvenor-place party. Amongst Ministers were the Lord Advocate and Lord Stanley from the War Office. Amongst outsiders were Sir Redvers Buller, who regarded the bustling scene with interested and amused glance. The House of Lords contributed at least three Earls—Spencer, Aberdeen, and Crewe.

Mr. John Morley, happy in his work at Hawarden, has consequently been absent from the various party meetings, private and public, social and political, that have marked a busy week. He does not intend to return to Westminster this session. Talking with a friend before he left town about his literary work, he said his labour was greatly lessened by Mr. Gladstone's personal habits of order and regularity. Through the last sixty years of his career he not only preserved every important letter or document that reached him, but neatly endorsed it with his own hand, and stowed it away in order of date. Herein he differed from Lord Beaconsfield's practice. He also preserved nearly every scrap of paper that reached him from important correspondents. But he chucked them pell-mell into a box, and when one was filled it was locked up and another taken in hand. It is contemplation of this collection of boxes that has chilled the biographical zeal of Lord Rowton. When preparing an important speech it was Mr. Gladstone's habit to note down in order certain facts and statements he designed to set forth in support of his arguments. He never wrote out a phrase. "*If I have the bare facts before me,*" he once said to Mr. Morley, "I can trust to the inspiration of the moment to find phrases in which to clothe them." Amongst the papers docketed and stored at Hawarden in order of date Mr. Morley found notes of a speech delivered by Mr. Gladstone at the Oxford Union just seventy years ago. The subject was Catholic emancipation, and the occasion a vote of want of confidence in the Government of Earl Grey moved by a budding statesman. Mr. Gladstone was in those days as strongly opposed to Catholic emancipation as was George IV. in his.

There is persistent rumour attributing to the King intention of proroguing Parliament in person. I learn from a high authority that no intimation of his Majesty's intention in that direction has reached his Ministers. They do not anticipate verification of the report. It is probably based on the fact that Queen Victoria in person prorogued the first Parliament of her reign. But that was following a custom of her immediate predecessors, who usually both opened and prorogued Parliament in person. During the late reign this latter duty was altogether abrogated. There is certainly nothing in the current session calculated to induce his Majesty to revive the custom of the Georges. Had it been marked by any great legislative achievement it would have seemed fitting that the King should associate himself personally with the historic event. As a matter of fact the session promises to take pre-eminence amongst those marked by legislative barrenness.

A member of the Select Committee on the King's Declaration on his accession tells me of a curious and significant episode in its brief sitting. When the report was drafted and submitted by the Lord Chancellor, the Duke of Argyll moved an amendment dispensing altogether with the *obnoxious Declaration*, letting the Coronation Oath serve all purposes of the character for which it was designed. On a division the Duke was in a minority of one. Coming from any of the carefully-selected body who formed the Committee such an action would have been notable. Undertaken by the brother-in-law of the King it was significant, and had it been generally known in the House of Lords during debate on Monday last night have affected the issue. It seems reasonable to suppose that the Duke would not have taken so important a step without assurance that it was not out of harmony with his Majesty's views. Under the storm which unexpectedly burst through the placid atmosphere of the House of Lords when the report of the Committee was laid on the table legislation on the subject has been deferred. It would not be surprising to find when it comes up again next session that the Duke of Argyll's simple way out of the difficulty is accepted.

Lord Rosebery is back in town more than ever resolved to stand aside from politics. When the dissension of the 40 members from the Asquith dinner threatened it with collapse, the promoters of the demonstration made urgent appeal to his lordship to "come over and help us." He hastened his departure from Gastein by a few days, but on arriving in London he plainly told those who called to see him on the matter that so far from presiding at the banquet at the Hotel Cecil he did not feel himself at liberty to be present as an ordinary guest. I understand that he disapproves and laments the demonstrations and counter-demonstrations that have of late shaken the Liberal Opposition to its foundations. Possibly had he been on the spot the project of the Asquith dinner would have been nipped in the bud by the prompt publication of the proposal. Many Liberals, to a certain extent including Mr. Asquith, were committed to it before they had fully realised all its bearings.

Last night a private dinner was given at the Savoy Hotel to Captain Scott, who is about to sail in command of the Discovery in exploration of the Antarctic circle. He is a very young man to be placed in such a position, the compliment of selection being the more marked since he has had no earlier experience of either Arctic or Antarctic voyaging. He tells me he expects to be away two years. Touching at Melbourne on his way out he, his ship, and his crew will thereafter disappear within the weird Antarctic region, preserving a silence of two years.

KANAKA LABOUR.

Perhaps as good an illustration as could be offered of the modern tendency to indicate a particular line of policy by concentrating it into a handy formula is to be found in the phrase "A White Australia." This brief epitome is intended to cover the whole question of coloured labour, from the Chinaman watering cabbages in a suburban garden to the kanaka on the canefields of Northern Queensland. The worst feature of a catchword such as this is that it evades all argument, and treats a somewhat difficult problem in an arbitrary and unreasoning manner. *The exciting cause at the present juncture is the* employment of South Sea Islanders on the plantations of Northern Queensland, where an attempt to solve the labour question has resulted in the importation of this class of immigrant. We may assume that the principal objection to these islanders is that they compete with white men in the labour market, and by working for an insignificant remuneration succeed in monopolising this source of employment. But objectionable as such a state of affairs may appear to the inhabitants of the more temperate regions of Australia, a consideration of the climate and products of tropical Queensland must greatly modify this view. The kanaka, used in his own country to heat even more intense than that of the Queensland plantations, and accustomed to work in the yam gardens through long sultry hours, readily assimilates himself to the congenial conditions of his new employment. The sun, so deadly to the white man, is to him only the source of a genial warmth, and the Queensland fever fades into insignificance when compared with his recollections of the island malady. Principally recruited from the New Hebrides, these islanders are of a type closely allied to the Australian aborigine, and very little superior to him in intelligence. Their adaptability for agricultural labour is to be accounted for by the fact that they are naturally tillers of the soil. Unlike the Australian black, the kanaka has in his own country no game to hunt, and his ordinary diet is vegetarian. The only animal food that he gets comes from the degenerate descendants of the pigs originally left in the islands by Captain Cook, and as these are only killed on rare occasions, it has always been necessary for him to be a cultivator of the soil that supplied his wants. So we find that in the kanaka the planter gets a man just sufficiently intelligent for work in the canefield or on the coffee plantations, who is cheap, and who is from childhood inured to outdoor labour in a tropical climate. This class of labourer, it must be remembered, is not of a migratory character, nor liable to desert employment from caprice, or to seek for some more lucrative opening. Bound under an agreement, his services are available when required, a most important consideration to the planter, who might see the results of long months of toil destroyed in a few hours by a change of weather, or by the combination of his casual labourers at some critical moment. It has been too readily assumed that the kanaka is on a par in Australia with the Chinaman and the Hindoo, and that there is a grave danger of an invasion of our colonies by this special form of coloured immigrant. It is, however, an easy matter to prove that *this idea is founded* on an entire misapprehension of the facts. The islands from which these natives are recruited are fast being depopulated, and only in a minor degree by emigration to Australia, though this has certainly assisted in the general result. In the New Hebrides, from which nearly all the kanakas employed on the Queensland plantations are recruited, this is especially the case. On one island of that group, Aneitcum, where a few years ago the population was between four and five thousand, it now numbers something like three thousand, and is declining. The Island of Malo in a few years will be without an inhabitant. Disease has swept off vast numbers in every island, and the birth rate has rapidly declined. As with the Australian aborigine so is it with the kanaka: when the white man comes, he goes. The problem so far as he is concerned is settling itself, and that without the aid of legislation. The South Sea Islander will soon cease to contribute his share to the vexed question of coloured labour in these colonies; even his native islands will know him no more. Nor must we lose *sight of the fact that there is another* door through which the tide of emigration passes in ever increasing volume. From the French settlements in New Caledonia labour schooners search each bay and island for recruits, bound by none of the strict rules that govern the Queensland ships. These vessels can offer greater inducements to the native chiefs to supply them with recruits, and so large numbers are deported to the various French settlements. We must remember, too, that the New Hebrides are not British possessions, and with their annexation by France, all recruiting from them would cease at once, as the French settlers would readily absorb all available labour locally. Indeed, so great is the demand for labour by them that it is proposed to import a number of convicts for the more pressing works of the island plantations. So we see that not only is there no danger of the kanaka establishing himself on a permanent footing in Australia, but that it is necessary that the Queensland planter should speedily look to some other source for his labour. The islander, we must not forget, returns on the completion of his service to his native land, and as the supply is being cut off in the islands, the kanaka will rapidly eliminate himself not only from the canefields of tropical Queensland, but from the field of practical politics. But unfortunately, with the exit of the South Sea Islander the final solution of the northern labour problem is still unachieved. Queensland is a tropical country, and when its produce enters the world's markets it must do so in competition with all other countries exporting similar productions, and may properly be compared with India, Africa, China, and the Dutch possessions in the East Indies, as countries which rival it in many particulars. When the Australian planter sells he sells in London. His sugar or coffee, it is true, may pass into the hands of a local buyer, but the London market fixes the price that he must accept. Now we know that sugar, coffee, and tea, in fact the very products that Queensland is so well fitted for by its natural advantages, are in the countries just mentioned, and in the West Indies and South America, raised by cheap labour. From the Indian coolie to the South American half-breed, from the Malay to the kaffir, a low paysheet is the main factor in tropical agriculture. So far as we have got in the world's history the place of the white man in the tropics has been that of one who by superior knowledge or experience is fitted to direct and control. He does not rival the coloured labourer, but by some special attainment or superior intelligence stands apart from and above him. This is the case in India and in Africa, where white men are the directing and organising power behind the less intelligent native. Surely in Australia, with its compulsory education, the white man can prove his superiority to the kanaka by other means than legislating against him. The South Sea Islander may be able to work in the canefields, but it must always be under the direction of white men, who on the plantations get all the work calling for intelligence. It is very certain that if the Australian planter is not allowed to use some form of coloured labour to assist him in the competition with the bounty-fed sugar and cheaper paysheet of his rivals in the market, he must have some other form of help. If this is to take the form of a duty on an article of universal consumption, such as sugar or coffee, we see the burden shifted from the shoulders of the Queensland planters only to be cast on those of the sufficiently burdened householder. The "free breakfast table" is abolished, and the worst feature of a protective policy is forced upon us—a tax on the daily food; and this that we may waste white men by employing them at work to which they are quite unsuited, and in a climate where the outdoor labourer must soon degenerate. We hear reports constantly that the spread of technical education and special knowledge is fast giving to Americans a predominating influence in the world's manufactures. Surely it is in such a direction that the white labour market should expand in a tropical country, and it is only by such a class of white men that the work of such a country as Northern Queensland can be properly carried out. The Indian coolie, whose yearly cost would not exceed £5 a year, and who is an intelligent field-worker, does all the outdoor and most of the skilled work on the Indian plantations, one white manager being all that is considered necessary. The same conditions hold good in the Straits Settlements and Batavia. It is in competition with this class of producer that the Australian planter must work. Let us look at the West Indies if we would see the result of depriving the sugar-planter of that cheap labour upon which long years of use had taught him to rely. The West Indian plantations were not worked by paid labour but by slaves, and the result of abolishing slavery has been to ruin the West Indies. Not that we should see in this an argument in favour of slavery. The negro freed from the compulsion to work has not been found a sufficiently cheap or reliable labourer for an industry which requires both these essentials in its field hands, and the glory of the West Indies has departed, its ports are deserted, and where once were flourishing plantations there is now a tangled jungle. From this fate we must save our Queensland plantations. If the kanaka must go, it is only fair that the process of his elimination should be sufficiently gradual to enable the planters, whose capital is invested so largely, a breathing time in which to consider the question of either seeking some other outlet for his energies, or a source of labour that may meet with more acceptance. In any circumstances, he cannot rely on the South Sea Islands, whose dwindling population will soon cease to furnish recruits to the Australian labour market.

J. A. G. M.

FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ANNUAL MEETING.

The second annual meeting of the shareholders of the Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited, was held at the company's head office, Sussex-street, yesterday. In the absence of the chairman of directors, Sir William M'Millan, M.P., Mr. A. J. Onslow Thompson took the chair.

The directors in their report stated that the volume of trade for the half-year ending June 30, as compared with the corresponding period of last year, showed an increase in sales of £17,380. The liberal and increasing support accorded to the company was very encouraging, and gave ample evidence that the principle of dividing the profits between shareholders and consignors, as introduced by the company, was appreciated. The wide distribution established had enabled the management to clear all consignments to the best advantage. The directors had avoided speculative or risky trading, and confined their attention practically to agency business. The system of strict monthly balance and audit had been continued, and proved of great value in regulating expenditure. An undertaking had been executed by Sir William M'Millan and Mr. J. P. M'Arthur that, when the capital of the company reached £25,000, they would be prepared to sell to the farmers, at par, the capital they now held, and the directors pointed out to consignors that if they wished to exclusively hold the capital the present was an opportune time to take the initiative. The export of butter during the season had been a special feature, the total shipments showing an increase of nearly 300 per cent., as compared with the best years of the old Co-operative Company. The prices realised for choicest butter were excellent. In connection with the forthcoming season the board was of opinion that the volume of export trade was sufficient to warrant the appointment of a special representative to watch the interests of the company and its constituents on the London market. Mr. Green, the company's branch manager at Orange—and who had had considerable experience in the produce trade at home—had been selected for the position, and will leave for London with the first shipment of butter about the end of the current month. The net result of the six months' operations, after providing for all expenses of management, bad debts, &c., was £1982 12s 5d, from which the board had written off £296 8s 11d for depreciation, &c., leaving a balance of £1687 3s 6d, which the directors proposed distributing as follows:—5 per cent. cash dividend to shareholders, £518; bonus, to consignors and shareholders, £750; special reserve for branch accounts, £150; balance carried forward, £269 3s 6d; total, £1687 3s 6d.

The chairman moved the adoption of the report and balance-sheet. He congratulated the shareholders on the increase in the business done, which was particularly satisfactory in view of the strong competition they had had to combat. While the volume of butter had been well maintained, it was pleasing to find that there were increased consignments of maize, hay, chaff, and what was known at Redfern as forage. During the past year they had forwarded outwards many parcels of wheat, and had shipped some 30 tons of honey on account of consignees. The directorate had hoped to reap benefit from the extra demand due to the Commonwealth and Royal visit celebrations, but the only result to the company was a disorganisation of business and a slight falling off in demands. Last half-year, taking the State as a whole, the butter season was satisfactory to farmers. The company sent to London 31,829 boxes, or roughly 800 tons, which at Sydney values represented with export charges £73,796. In no case was there a loss. The whole had been consigned to a co-operative wholesale society in London, and the handling and account sales had been most satisfactory. It was said that in some cases other consignments brought better prices, but isolated instances of high prices did not prove all round better business, and they had also to have regard to the season of the shipments. If the company had not shipped in January and February, the average results would have shown £2 a ton higher. (Hear, hear.) Latest advices from London anticipated a good season for butter. The board of directors proposed to carry out the export business on the same lines as were adopted last year, and they asked the farmers to give them a free hand. The company would continue to consign only at the farmers' risk. Much of the butter shipped from this State last year could only rank in quality as middling; the remedy for that was in the farmers' own hands, and unless they adopted means to maintain the highest quality they would be beaten out of the English markets. It all depended on the dairy *farmers* and butter *factory* managers. Government branding might or might not be a good thing, but the farmers should abstain from undertaking heavy expenses for branders, graders, &c., unless they were sure they would get the cost back in profits. He would not say anything against Government branding, but he was afraid that buyers at Home would buy on the merits of the butter after it had completed its voyage, and not on the strength of any brand put on it at this end. He referred briefly to the country business of the company, and to the offer of Sir William M'Millan and Mr. J. P. M'Arthur to sell their shares to the farmers, and the latter reference was applauded. The liberal attitude which Sir William had adopted throughout was, the chairman further said, a convincing answer to those who had called the concern "M'Millan's Company." (Applause.)

Mr. Alex. Campbell, M.L.A., a director, seconded the motion.

Mr. Thomas Armstrong said the position was excellent, and it was the kind of balance-sheet that a man would walk through snow at night time to commend.

The motion was agreed to unanimously.

There being five candidates for three directorships it was announced that a ballot would be taken in accordance with the rules of the company.

A vote of thanks to Sir William M'Millan and Mr. J. P. M'Arthur for their offer regarding the capital of the company was, on the motion of Mr. Armstrong, seconded by Mr. A. Jackson, passed unanimously.

An extraordinary general meeting was then held, at which a necessary alteration was made in the form of one of the clauses in Article 46 of the Articles of Association.

Votes of thanks to the chairman and of commendation to the management were passed.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

From Mr. John Long: "Virgin Gold," by William S. Walker ("Coo-ee"); "Anna Lombard," by Victoria Cross; "Mrs. Musgrove and her Husband," by Richard Marsh; "Paul Le Maistre," by Frederic Carrel.

From Mr. Effingham Wilson: "How to read the Money Article," by Charles Duguid.

From Messrs. Archibald Constable and Co.: "Ensign Knightley and Other Stories," by A. E. W. Mason; "Retaliation: a novel," by Herbert Flowerdew; "The Curious Career of Roderick Campbell," by Jean N. M'Ilwraith.

From The Open Court Publishing Company: "Eros and Psyche: a fairy-tale of Ancient Greece," retold, after Apuleius, by Paul Carus.

From the Author: "Australian Federation," by Sir John Cockburn, with a preface by Sir Charles Dilke.

From Messrs. Methuen and Co.: "Tales that are Told," by Mary Findlater and Jane Helen Findlater.

A meeting of the committee of the Charity Organisation Society was held on Wednesday last under the presidency of Mr. E. Fosbery. An account of subscriptions received, relief given, and general work of the inquiry branch was submitted by the secretary. The report showed that 193 persons had applied for relief, 181 were assisted, and that 12 were found upon investigation to be unworthy. The applications for July were 29 in excess of those for the previous month, and 52 above those for the same period last year. The large increase was attributed to sickness now so prevalent, and to several of the suburban societies temporarily discontinuing relief. Inquiries were also instituted as to the genuineness of 15 begging letters, and reports sent to the receivers as to the best means to afford assistance.

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Church of England.

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CHRIST CHURCH, ST. LAURENCE.—XI. Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion 7.30 a.m., Matins 10.30 a.m., Choral Eucharist and Sermon 11 a.m., Children's Service 3.45 p.m., Litany 6.45 p.m., Evensong and Sermon 7 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL UNION.—MEMBERS invited to attend St. James' Hall, TUESDAY NEXT, 8 p.m. Hon. B. R. WISE Address.
S. S. TOVEY, Acting Hon. Sec.

L. O.L., 30.—Religious Service, St. Matthias' Church, Paddington, SUNDAY at 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. J. W. Gillett, B.A. Brethren assemble in hall adjoining, 6.45. A. E. ELLIOTT, Sec.

ST. BARNABAS', George-st. W.—8 a.m., H.C.; 11 a.m., Rev. M. Jenkyn; 7 p.m., Rev. W. A. Charlton. Pre.

ST. LUKE'S, Sussex-st., city. Church Army Lantern Service, Pictorial Lesson, Address, To-morrow, 7 p.m.

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH.—11 a.m., Rev. R. B. S. Hammond; 7 p.m., Ven. Archdeacon Langley.

ST. PAUL'S, REDFERN.—To-morrow, Rev. Canon BOYCE, morning and evening.

S. MICHAEL'S Church, Flinders-st.—Rev. H. Saumarez Smith, B.A., 11 a.m.; Rev. Dr. Manning, 7 p.m.

ST. MATTHIAS', Paddington.—11 a.m., Rev. J. H. Mullens; 7.15 p.m., Rev. J. W. Gillett.

ST. THOMAS', Balmain.—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

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S. JAMES', King-street, 8 and 9 Holy Communion. Preacher at 11 and 7.15, Rev. W. I. Carr Smith. TUESDAY NEXT, Men's League, S. James' Hall, Phillip-street, at 8. Hon. B. R. WISE on "Compulsory Arbitration." Members of Christian Social Union specially invited.

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BURWOOD.—St. James' Presbyterian Church. The Rev. C. A. White, B.A. Forenoon, 11 and Evening 7.15.

CHALMERS CHURCH.—Rev. Moorhead Legate will preach at 11 a.m., and 7.15 p.m.

GLEBE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. Dr. CLOUSTON will preach Morning and Evening.

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PALMER-ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Mr. Macleod. 11, "Parental Duty;" 7, "Life's Dangers."

PITT and Hay sts. Presbyterian Church.—Rev. D. Fenwick. Morning 11, Evening 7.

RANDWICK.—Rev. C. H. Talbot, 11, "Our day, duty, destiny;" 7.15, "The sort of men the age needs."

ST. ANDREW'S Presbyterian Church, Bathurst-st.—Services: Morning, 11, English. Evening, 7, Welsh.

ST. STEPHEN'S Presb. Church, Phillip-st. Rev. John Ferguson, Min. Bible and Fellowship class, 10 a.m. Morning service, 11.—"Guided for a Great Work." Evening service, 7.—"City Life—Temptations and Safeguards."

SCOTS CHURCH, CHURCH HILL.—11, Rev. W. G. TAYLOR (Central Mission); 7, Dr. DILL-MACKY; Revelation, The Opening of the Seals. Protestant Defence Association, Tuesday, 8 p.m., in the Church.

WAVERLEY, Grahame Memorial.—Rev. J. Macaulay, M.A., 11, 7, "Men who have Influenced Me."

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of
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BATHURST-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH,
SEPTEMBER 8.
DELEGATES' TEA, 6 p.m.
THANKSGIVING SERVICE, 7 p.m.
COUNCIL MEETING, 7.30 p.m.

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Rev. E. TREMAYNE DUNSTAN.
Morning, at 11. Subject: Studies in Theology (third series). "What think ye of Christ?"—No. 2. "The Incarnation."
Evening, at 7. Subject: "The Child as a Life Saver."

BOURKE-ST.—Rev. C. Whyte, M.A. 11, "Abiding in Christ;" 7 "Following afar off."

BURWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. GEORGE CAMPBELL, morning and evening.

CONGREGATIONAL Church, N'town.—Rev. Warlow Davies, M.A., at 11 and 7. Evg., Current Topics.

CROYDON Cong. Ch., 11 and 7.15. Evg. subj., "The Sacredness of Human Life." Rev. M. Mathison, B.A.

DULW. HILL.—Rev. W. Morley, at 11 and 7. Morn., Our Spiritual Principles; Evg., A Great Restoration.

GLEBE Congregational Church.—11 a.m., Rev. Wm. Allen (Petersham); 7 p.m., Camden College Student.

MANLY CONGREGATIONAL.—Mr. G. A. EAVES, B.A., Morning, at 11; Evening, at 7.30.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Rev. N. J. Cocks, M.A., 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Strangers invited.

OCEAN-ST., Woollahra.—Pastor, Mr. F. B. Cowling. 11, Selfishness v. Wisdom. 7, The Mystery of Evil. I.

POINT PIPER-RD.—Rev. Dr. Fordyce, 11 a.m., 7 p.m., "St. Peter's Response to Christ's Appeal."

PETERSHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—To-morrow: Mng., Rev. G. T. Walden; Evg., Young People's Evening, Rev. Wm. Allen on "Beginnings and Endings." Anthems.

REDFERN Church.—Rev. F. Birtles at 11; 7, "Christ, our Rock." Bright music and a cordial welcome.

SUMMER HILL.—Rev. G. A. Thompson, B.A., at 11 and 7, "Perils of Middle Life."

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SEPTEMBER 10th.
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CENTENARY HALL (C.M.M.), York-street.—CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR ANNIVERSARY. TO-NIGHT, 7.30, Consecration Service, Rev. W. G. TAYLOR. SUNDAY, 11 a.m., Rev. Dr. DILL MACKY; 7 p.m., Rev. W. G. TAYLOR and Christian Endeavourers. Remember.—Grand Variety Night next Wednesday.

STANMORE. Morning, Rev. J. E. Carruthers; Evening, Rev. F. C. Boyer.

WILLIAM-STREET.—11 and 7, Rev. JOSEPH WOODHOUSE.

WES. Church, Bourke-st.—11, Rev. W. Wall, "The Potter." 7, Rev. J. W. Collier, "Rest."

WESLEY CHURCH, Regent-street. 11, Rev. F. COLWELL. Subject, "The Labourer's Pay." 7, Revs. F. COLWELL and J. GREEN. Subject, "Religious Experiences of a Military Chaplain in South Africa."

AULD SCOTLAND.—Rev. P. J. Stephen, Limel. Lecture, Wm.-st. Wes. Ch., Tuesd. next, 7.45. Tick., 6d.

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BAPTIST CHURCH, Bathurst-street.—11, Rev. J. A. SOPER, "Heaven our Home." 7, Rev. Dr. PORTER. Bright Service for the people. A hearty welcome for all.

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HARRIS-ST.—Rev. H. Sharp. 11, God's Fatherly Pity; 7, The Straight Gate.

NORTH SYDNEY BAPTIST CHURCH, Ernest-st., tram term.—Rev. W. H. Middleton, morn. and evg.

NEWTOWN Baptist Church.—Rev. H. Clark, 11 and 7. Bright Service. A hearty welcome.

PARTICULAR BAPTIST CHURCH, Castlereagh-st.—Lord's Day, 11 a.m., 7 p.m., Pastor F. Beddel.

STRICT Baptist Church, O.F. Temple, Elizabeth-st.—Lord's Day, at 11 a.m., 7.15 p.m., Mr. Fremlin.

STANMORE BAPTIST CHURCH.—Unveiling Ceremony, This Day, 3 p.m., by Rev. W. A. Southwell, President Baptist Union, and others. Friends leave train, Stanmore or Petersham stns.; tram, L'hardt, Johnston-st.

WALLIS-STREET, WOOLLAHRA.—Rev. C. Moon, 11 and 7. Tuesday, Tea 6.30; Annual Meeting, 7.45. H. Dixson, Esq., chair. Revs. Dr. Porter, H. Clark, C. Moon, W. Buckingham, Esq., Mr. W. Youll take part.

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SPEAKERS—
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CITY TEMPLE, Campbell-st., Sydney.—7, P. A. DICKSON, Evangelist.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR ANNUAL JUNIOR RALLY.
SYDNEY TOWN HALL,
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th.
CHAIRMAN: Rev. G. T. WALDEN.
SPEAKER: Rev. E. T. DUNSTAN.

Other Services.

AUSTRALIAN CHURCH, Rev. GEORGE WALTERS. I.O.O.F. TEMPLE, ELIZABETH-STREET. 11 a.m.: THE POETRY OF SCIENCE. 7 p.m.: EVOLUTION from Zoophyte to MAN.

TO-NIGHT, SATURDAY, AT 8, ENTERTAINMENT in School of Arts, Pitt-street. Mr. HARRY LESTON and PUPILS, assisted by Herr Staelitgen, Mr. Jeffcott, Mr. Gehde, Little Violette, Meistersingers, and Peel's Mandolin Quartet. ADMISSION, SIXPENCE.

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ANNANDALE P. M. Ch.—M. Beavley, minister. 11, Spiritual Quickening; 7, Sermon to young women.

AUSTRALIAN Socialist League, 261 C'rgh-st. Marx Hall. Mr. J. Morrish on "Reform or Revolution."

AT 4 Norwich-chambers, 56 Hunter-street.—"The Sermon on the Mount." Interpretation from the basis of the science of Being, by Mrs. J. VERLAGE, of Chicago, SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m.

BETHSHAN Divine Healing through faith in Jesus. No. 2 rm. Queen's Hall, Sunday, 3 p.m. Eld. Gibbens.

CHRISTADELPHIAN.—Lecture, Queen's Hall, 306 Pitt-st., Sunday, 7, "Christianity and Social Reform."

CHRISTADELPHIAN Hall, 413 Eliz.-st. Lecture, Sunday, 7 p.m. "The Reward of the Righteous."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE. 80 Victoria Market-buildings, Sunday, 11 a.m.

CHRISTIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. J. A. DOWIE, General Overseer, Chicago, meets at No. 2 Room, Queen's Hall, Pitt street, Sunday, 11 and 7. Teaching on Divine Healing. C. MOSS, Deacon in charge.

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NEW CHURCH (Sydney Society), Thomas-st.—Morning, 11, Mr. Morse.

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.—Subject for discussion TO-MORROW, 7.30 p.m., "Utility of Religion." Queen's Hall, Pitt-street, Room No. 15.

PETERSHAM CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE, Town Hall, Petersham, 19th to 22nd Aug., 3 to 5, 7.30 to 9.30. Tea at 5, 6d. Preparatory PRAYER MEETING TO-NIGHT, 7.30, School-hall, Railway-street.

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SPIRITUALISM.—Sun., Mdme Lacets, Inspir. Addr., inspirational disc., 7.30. Sydney-cham., 150 Pitt-st.

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SPIRITUAL and test meeting, Sunday 7.30 p.m., Tues., Thurs., 8, coll. 97 Wilson-st. Ntwn., nr Henning's.

SPIRITUALISM.—Service, 3 p.m.; Seance, 7.30 p.m. Monday, 7.30 p.m. Mr. Ferguson, 123 Geo.-st., Rdfn.

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Annandale.—10½ x 140 to lane, £3 10s; 25 x 140, 55 ft.
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Mosman.—105 x 122, Torrens title, £800 the block.
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LOST, city, Thurs., Envelope, cont. money. Reward, Mr. Dick, Camden-buildings, 418 George-st.

LOST in Wm.-st. Cable Tram, Fur BOA, Thursday night, reward. Mrs. Marsh, 337, Pitt-st.

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FOUR YEARS' ILL-HEALTH.

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BUT A "FRIEND IN NEED."

THE CASE OF MRS. SUSAN BASTOCK.

(For the "Star.")

Mrs. Susan Bastock, who lives at No. 72 Bay-street, Glebe, Sydney, welcomed the newspaper man with much politeness, and on the latter announcing that his visit was paid with the object of eliciting the facts relating to that lady's critical illness and her extraordinary recovery therefrom through the administration of Clements Tonic, he was soon seated in the front parlour, where Mrs. Bastock readily assented to supply him with every detail connected with her case.

"To look at me now you would hardly think that I am the mother of a family of 13 children, and considering the great deal of suffering which I have gone through I ought to be—and indeed I am—very thankful for my present good state of health. The great physical strain of rearing such a large family must have weakened my system terribly, for it ultimately resulted in my having a premature confinement, which culminated in inflammation of the bowels. It took a long time before I could get about again, and for four years afterwards I never possessed good health, and at the expiration of that time I was visited with a sickness of a more serious kind than my previous one. It is considered an extremely interesting and critical period of a woman's existence, and one which is fraught with important consequences, for, according as it is passed with safety or otherwise, will her future health be. It was at the period when my change of life took place, and never shall I be able to describe the pain which I had to endure. Women usually regard the approach of the change of life with a good deal of anxiety and fear, for at that time certain diseases which may have lain dormant, as it were, in the system are likely to make their appearance, and I was in dread of any extra derangement, because my constitution was not strong enough to withstand it. I am glad to say that I was not attacked by any disease during my illness, but I had quite enough to bear as it was without any other disorders taking place."

"Were your sufferings very acute, Mrs. Bastock?"

"They were extremely so. The pains were so bad that I could not bear anyone to touch me. When anyone approached very close to me I would give a spasmodic flinch as though anticipating their touch. Sleepless nights I passed without number, and I was always weary and depressed. I think there are very few women who have gone through the same ordeal and have experienced such dreadful headaches as mine were. My eyesight became affected, and I could not see to read; in fact, I did not have much inclination for reading. I was too much worried with my deplorable condition to take any interest in books or papers. Frequently hot flushing of the face would take place, and then I would be conscious of a feeling that can only be described as nervous irritation. It was quite a common thing for me to faint, and I would lie and think of all the evils that might occur if I did not soon get better. My digestive organs were quite upset, for although I lay for fully a fortnight without touching anything in the way of food, excepting a little toast and water, even that light nourishment was too much for my stomach to digest. I was never free from pain of some sort, and in a state of desperation I would sometimes take a little brandy or whisky in the hope of acquiring relief. But stimulants only aggravated my suffering, and I always felt worse after them. I had got awfully thin, and my face looked as though there was not a drop of blood left in me. The intense mental depression experienced during my sickness was sometimes more than I like to think of even now."

"What did your doctor think of your case?"

"I had three doctors, and I am sure they all despaired of my ever pulling through it. But they were not the only ones who thought so. One day a lady friend who had just returned from the funeral of her sister, said to me: 'Ah, old girl, you will be the next I shall have to follow.' It is not very encouraging to be spoken to like that when a person feels half dead. My medical advisers were very attentive, I must say; but their medicines all failed to have a beneficial effect upon me. Goodness knows how much I had taken, but I still remained in the same sorry plight. So low did I sink that I believed I was drawing near the grave. My husband's belief in the restorative and curative qualities of Clements Tonic had so often been drummed in my ears that at last I consented to see what it was like. I had lost faith in all medicines, and when my husband brought me a bottle of Clements Tonic I succeeded in livening myself up with hope again, for I slowly but surely began to mend under its remarkable influence. The bodily pains were quickly under control, my dreadful headaches were soon completely cured, and the newly-found remedy gave me a very healthy appetite. I continued taking Clements Tonic regularly, as I was convinced it was doing me a lot of good. My blood was once again running through my veins with increased vitality, and I could always depend upon having a good night's sleep. With the departure of my severe headaches I could sit down and enjoy a read, my eyesight being completely repaired. The feelings of depression departed with the advent of new life, and as the time passed on it was soon my pleasant privilege to resume customary duties. The doctors were greatly astonished at my rapid recovery and so were all my friends. They could see by the way I had brightened up and the way I was putting on flesh that Clements Tonic was making a new woman of me. I am nearly as active now as when I was a young woman, and I am thoroughly healthy in every respect. My children are always given a dose of Clements Tonic whenever they have anything the matter with them, and I am under such an obligation to that remedy for my new lease of life that I never neglect to recommend it to my friends."

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STATUTORY DECLARATION.

I, Susan Bastock, of 72 Bay-street, Glebe, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, do solemnly and sincerely declare that I have carefully read the annexed document, consisting of four folios, and consecutively numbered from one to four, and that it contains and is a true and faithful account of my illness and cure by Clements Tonic, and also contains my full permission to publish in any way my statements, which I give voluntarily, without receiving any payment; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act made and passed in the ninth year of the reign of her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the more effectual abolition of Oaths and Affirmations taken and made in the various Departments of the Government of New South Wales, and to substitute Declarations in lieu thereof, and for the suppression of voluntary and extra-judicial Oaths and Affidavits."

Susan Bastock

Declared at Glebe this 27th day of July, one thousand nine hundred, before me,
THOMAS LAW, J.P.

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OUR EASTERN NEIGHBOURS.

THE NEAREST WE HAVE.

By A. D. PATERSON.

This letter is written on the way to the gorgeous East—to China, Japan, Manchuria, and if possible across Siberia to England. People do not seem to think that any sane Australian could by any possibility want to go to Manchuria or Siberia, or could expect to find anything of interest there; but as a matter of fact the farthest East is really the part of the world that concerns us most. It can do us most harm and least good; and we surely should be interested in knowing what our next door neighbours are doing.

A glance at a map of the world giving the trade routes shows how very isolated Australia is. Great networks of steamship lines and railway lines bind all the other countries of the world together; but we are not on the road to anywhere, and the few lines that connect us with the old world appear on the map like a few straggling fishing lines let down into deep water. When speaking of revisiting Australia Kipling one day said—"If you go to Australia you have to spend such a lot of time getting there, and such a lot of time getting back again. Anywhere else in the world you can move on for a few days and see some fresh place, but Australia is right away out by itself." And yet we have neighbours—plenty of them, such as they are—for only eight days' steam from our Northern Territory there lies the great seething cauldron of the East, boiling over with parti-coloured humanity—brown and yellow men by the million, and they are quite near enough to us to do us a lot of harm if their ideas ran that way.

WHOM WE SHALL FIGHT.

If our dashing Australian soldiers are ever to be called on to fight at all it will be to fight these Eastern peoples, and they will have to fight in our Northern Territory. Judging from South African experience no civilised power could dream of successful invasion or occupation of any part of our southern coasts: the cost in men, money, and transport would be too great. But Japan has over forty millions of people, and they are crowded more closely together in their islands than the population of Ireland or Scotland. The Russians have one hundred and twenty-eight millions, and the completion of the Siberian railway and the "acquiring" of the Kwang-tung province, bring them within a few days' steam of us. The Chinese have four hundred millions, all ready to go anywhere and do anything that they are told. Suppose some new Attila arose to lead these hosts, some military genius like Skobeloff, to take control and organise these vast multitudes!

Furthermore, our Northern Territory, practically uninhabited by whites, is just the place to suit these people. On those great sweltering, steaming, fever-laden plains, where the muddy rivers struggle slowly to the sea, the Orientals are in their glory. If they once get a good footing there they will out-breed and out-multiply any European race. If the Orientals want to come this way they can spare a few millions of people easily enough, and if they sent over enough of an army to hold the north against us for a while they could pour in further people, till before long there would be more yellow people in the north than white in the south.

To which the reader replies—what would the British fleet be doing all this time? Well, it is quite possible that the British fleet might be wanted badly somewhere else, for one thing; and, secondly, the discovery of a perfect submarine boat might in a day change all the balance of naval power; it is not good that we should rely so abjectly on the British fleet.

ADVANCE OF THE RUSSIANS.

But even if there is no danger whatever from our Northern neighbours, there is still a great fascination in learning what they are doing, and what the next move is to be. The Russians have rolled down into the East, pushing all before them; they have got Manchuria, they apparently are certain to get the Korean peninsula (quite a small place as numbers go up that way—only twelve millions of inhabitants, while all Australia has about four millions), and they seem to be in a fair way to get hold of the Chinese, lock, stock, and barrel. The tail is going to wag the dog with a vengeance. True, the Russians are said to have ill-treated the Chinese cruelly in the late war, but that is the way to deal with an Oriental; give him a good beating first, and he will be your servant and ally; be civil to him and treat him kindly, and he will murder you when he gets a chance. The Russians are working in their own way, always pushing their railways down south. They started their railways to go to Vladivostock, an ice-bound port, but have now swung down south as far as Port Arthur. The Russian of the popular fancy is a man who spends half his time in trying to shoot the Czar, and the other half in hatching "designs on India," but he seems to have a better scheme than India on hand now; the completion of the Trans-Siberian railway may alter the whole face of the world.

JAPANESE ON THE QUI VIVE.

The Japanese are sullenly watching the Russian advance; there are Japanese officers and soldiers, disguised as coolies, working as spies on every part of the new Russian railways. The Japanese looked on Korea as a natural outlet for their surplus people, and now that they have been ordered out of it by Russia they are quite likely to have a trial of strength with Russia before the latter gets her railways finished. If they do, it will be worth seeing. The little brown men are feeling keenly the heavy burden of taxation necessary to keep up their splendid army and fleet, and their performances in their own war with China and in the late war show that they have an army and navy as efficient as any in the world; while the Russians are reported not to have shown out as conspicuous successes, except where there was any wholesale slaughter going on; if the Japanese wait till the Russians firmly establish themselves in Northern China they will never shift them, but if they attack them now while the Russians are only half-ready they might be able to drive them right back again, and so gain a little room for themselves.

All these things are occurring right "agin our own door," so to speak, and the next development may take place at any time, so it occurred to the writer to go up to the scene of action in the hope of being able to tell Australians how things look from an Australian point of view.

The trip up is worth making for its own sake. There is a mixture of Eastern languor and Australian take-it-easiness on a China-going boat, and one meets passengers who have seen things out of the ordinary run. There is a Sydney lady on the ship who has lived in Bang-kok in Siam, where the King of Siam gives an elephant-hunt every now and then, at which the white population attend, and then they go back home, and play golf! On this, as on all ocean-going ships, one gets every nationality, and a discussion of the Boer war brings out all sorts of latent ferocities. A long nasal colonial said that the only reason the war lasted so long was the British Yeomanry. He said that the Boers get all their supplies and ammunition from the Yeomanry. This brought a heated stranger into the discussion. It seemed that his brother was in a Yeomanry regiment, and he said, "If the colonials are so smart why don't they end the war?" To which the colonial replied, "Because it took us all our time looking for lost Yeomanry." Also we get some interesting sidelights in the American-Spanish war from officers who saw it; and so we go northwards past the Queensland coast, through the blue water, and draw near to the sweltering land north of the Tropic of Capricorn, where the sugar-planters and the pearl-divers flourish, and where life for the white man is a combination of prickly heat and dengue fever. There is a Rockhampton proverb which says, "You are always sure of one happy day in Northern Queensland, that is the day that you leave the town of Mackay."

But what do southerners know about the north, its troubles and its possibilities?

We go abroad for sensation and novelty, and we have enough of it at our own doors; but these are matters of every day to us, while in the East is the chance of a lifetime to see something worth talking of. So to the East be it.

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The Sensational Attempt at Bank Robbery at Henty.—This week's "Sydney Mail" contains full account, with portraits of the arrested men, the wounded manager, and police-constables, view of Henty, and property found in the prisoners' camp.—Advt.

THE COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENT.

THE SENATE.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY, AUGUST 16.

The President took the chair at 10.30 a.m.

ANSWER TO QUESTION.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL said, in reply to Senator M'Gregor (S.A.), that the delay in paying the amounts due to the Commonwealth contractors in New South Wales arose from the non-passing of the Supply Bill.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS.

Senator GLASSEY (Q.) suggested the propriety of members giving up their Parliamentary business for the day in order to allow Government measures to be advanced.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL intimated that as only one Minister could attend it would not be practicable to go on with the Customs Bill, but it was his intention to ask members to give up Friday's sitting.

BILL TO REGULATE TAKING OF EVIDENCE.

Senator NEILD (N.S.W.) moved the second reading of the bill to regulate the taking of evidence by Parliament or any committee. He intimated that the measure was an exact transcript of one which had been in operation for 20 years in New South Wales. One clause provided for payment of witnesses, but in view of possible difficulty which that might occasion he did not propose to press for its inclusion.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL said the measure had worked very well in New South Wales, but it was desirable to take time to consider whether it would be applicable to the circumstances of the Commonwealth.

Senator GOULD (N.S.W.) said he approved of the bill, but he would be glad to know whether an opportunity would be afforded of proceeding with the measure at a later stage.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL said he had no doubt that such an opportunity would be forthcoming after machinery bills had been disposed of.

The bill was read a second time, and committed pro forma.

THE CONTROL OF BASS STRAITS CABLES.

Senator M'FARLANE (Tas.) resumed the debate on a motion affirming the desirability of the Government acquiring for the Commonwealth the ownership and control of the Bass Straits submarine telegraph cable. He moved an amendment providing that the Commonwealth should have leave to lay down a second cable or acquire on reasonable terms the ownership and control of the existing cable.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL said he could not approve of the amendment, because it affirmed that the Government should do what it had not power to do, viz., lay down a cable. He understood it was intended simply to move in general terms that the Government acquire the control of cable communication between Tasmania and the mainland.

Senator M'GREGOR (S.A.) submitted an amendment affirming the desirability of telegraphic communication between Tasmania and the mainland being brought about as soon as practicable, under the ownership and control of the Commonwealth Government.

Senator EWING (W.A.) argued against the view that there was any legal objection in the way of Senator M'Farlane's amendment.

Senator M'FARLANE withdrew his amendment.

Senator DOBSON (Tas.) said it had been represented that the cable was an old and patched one. He found that was a very serious misstatement. As a matter of fact the cable was a new one, laid down in 1898. It seemed to him that when persons were being urged on to make a purchase they were placed at a disadvantage. The best thing to do would be to leave the matter severely alone.

Senator KEATING (Tas.) corroborated the statement that the new cable was laid in 1898.

Senator DOBSON: If we purchase shall we get the old cable given in?

Senator KEATING assumed that the Government would buy the right, title, and interest in the sole means of communication.

Senator Sir WILLIAM ZEAL (Vic.): At what price?

Senator KEATING: At the estimated cost of £70,000.

Senator Sir WILLIAM ZEAL: Shall we have also to buy the buildings?

Senator KEATING: Those are all included.

Senator DOBSON: One or two duplicate cables would not be included?

Senator KEATING said possibly not. He saw possible complications if his motion were carried in its original form, and he was content to accept the amendment.

The amendment having been agreed to, the resolution as amended was adopted.

COMMONWEALTH OLD AGE PENSIONS.

Senator NEILD (N.S.W.) moved,—"That in the opinion of the Senate it is desirable that a system of old age pensions be established by the Commonwealth, and that the State Governments be invited to authorise the Treasurer of the Commonwealth to deduct from the sums payable to the States under section 87 of the Commonwealth Constitution Act an amount required to provide such pensions." He submitted that contributing schemes were not applicable to provide those old age pensions, which were an absolute necessity of civilisation. The experiences of great friendly societies in England were not encouraging. The adoption of Mr. Chamberlain's pet scheme might involve an accumulation of the enormous sum of £528,000,000, and the withdrawal of so much money from development and enterprise would create a national danger. He believed in a necessity limit rather than an age limit.

Senator DOBSON: Is the hon. gentleman prepared to advocate a system in which there would be no contributions?

Senator NEILD: Yes.

Senator DOBSON: Is not that fraught with danger?

Senator NEILD said he would point out that persons had to discharge many other duties than making a provision for old age. A man who had a family had to clothe and educate it.

Senator BARRETT (Vic.): And in many cases can do no more.

The debate was adjourned on the motion of the Postmaster-General until September 6.

PUBLIC SERVICE BILL.

Senator BARRETT resumed the debate on the second reading of the Public Service Bill. He said he thought on the whole the measure was a very fair one. It, however, placed tremendous powers in the hands of the Public Service Commissioner, and there seemed no responsibility as far as the Minister was concerned. He held that six inspectors were not necessary. He thought that when women did the same work as men they should be remunerated at the same rate after seven to ten years' service. He would be in favour of a female officer receiving up to a minimum wage of £110 a year.

Senator DOBSON: If a man gets £110 and a woman £80 a year, would not the woman have the best of it?

Senator BARRETT: No.

Senator PLAYFORD (S.A.): She can do the work.

Senator BARRETT maintained that women did work as well as men.

Senator CLEMONS (Tas.): Are you in favour of making them compete on level terms with men?

Senator BARRETT: Yes, with regard to the performance of outside work by well-paid public servants. He pointed out that there were many struggling people outside who would be glad to earn a little by the performance of the work outside the service which Civil servants now did.

Senator NEILD said he had been looking over the bill, and would suggest that its proper title would be a bill to abolish Ministerial responsibility and propagate jobbery in the regulation of the Public Service. It outraged every known principle of satisfactory management of employees. It proposed to take control from the Cabinet, from the Minister, and from permanent heads. The inspectors would probably be mischief-makers. He strongly favoured the appointment of a Court of Appeal. The system of charging postal officials rent for quarters often operated harshly in New South Wales. He complained of the very low salary of £26 per annum paid to letter-carriers in New South Wales. The definition of the duties of an inspector was cheerfully vague. Inspectors would have great opportunities of mischief-making. The head of the department would, as compared with an inspector, be as great a cypher as the Minister.

Senator SMITH (W.A.) said he conceived the bill to be an intelligent effort to introduce a system of promotion by merit in the service, and to decrease the evil of political influence. He saw in it, however, no indication of an attempt to get rid of social influence. Such, in his opinion, was more dangerous than political influence. If the Public Service were to be a good and efficient one the Commonwealth must be prepared to pay good salaries to good men. As to medical examination, the conditions should be as lenient as possible. There should be no bar to the formation of Civil Service associations. He was very pleased that the Postmaster-General was not averse to them. If life assurance could be carried on at a profit he did not see why the Government could not conduct it in the service without going to an insurance company. He contended that women should be paid according to their services, and was sure that this contention would be approved of by women.

Senator WALKER (N.S.W.) pointed out that good work was done by women in various departments, and he instanced some notable cases in New South Wales. He did not approve of insurance being limited to Australian companies. He favoured the formation of a superannuation fund. The bill he regarded as a good one.

The debate was adjourned on the motion of Senator Gould.

ADJOURNMENT.

The House rose at 3.48 p.m.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY, AUGUST 16.

The Speaker took the chair at 2.30 p.m.

PETITIONS.

Mr. M'Cay (Vic.) and Mr. Carty Salmon (Vic.) presented petitions from residents of Daylesford and Avoca in favour of clauses 54 and 55 of the Postal Act.

THE IMMIGRATION OF ALIENS.

Mr. POYNTON (S.A.) drew attention to the landing of a number of Afghans in Victoria and suggested action similar to that previously taken by the late Sir Henry Parkes in New South Wales.

The PREMIER said that the late Sir Henry Parkes took action to prevent aliens landing. He would inquire as to what the powers of the Commonwealth were pending legislation on the subject, and he would deal with the matter in as reasonable a way as was possible. (Hear, hear.)

THE MECKLENBERG-SCHWERIN LOTTERY.

The PREMIER, in answer to Sir M. M'Eacharn (Vic.), said the Postmaster-General would inquire into the circumstances connected with the circulation of lottery circulars by an agent of a State lottery in Schwerin, Germany.

AN ALLEGED SLIGHT.

Mr. M'DONALD (Q.) drew attention to a statement that the Premier of Queensland felt aggrieved at alleged discourtesy to him by the Commonwealth Premier.

The PREMIER said he had not received any letter on the subject, and could easily show that he had in every case shown the utmost courtesy to all State Ministers and officials. (Hear, hear.)

INTERCOLONIAL TRADE BY FOREIGN SUBSIDISED VESSELS.

Mr. KING O'MALLEY (Tas.) moved that subsidised foreign ship companies be prohibited from carrying either passengers or goods between Commonwealth ports. Similar laws were stringently observed in Canada and the United States, and should be enacted here. A large steamship cost £100,000, but of that amount not £5000 went in material: so to secure a shipbuilding trade to ourselves meant giving Australian workmen £95,000 on each ship constructed if this were done. We could thus also gradually replace in our coastal trade all big foreign ships with Australian-built ships, which would be available for use in time of war. On the foreign boats which traded here small wages were paid. Many of the men on board depended on tips.

Mr. MAUGER (Vic.) seconded the motion. He said the greater portion of the world's earnings were derived from ships owned by European and American capitalists. English owners paid their seamen employed in the intercolonial trade £6 8s per month, while on German steamers only £2 17s per month was paid. White firemen were paid £4 10s per month, while coolies were paid £1 4s. Colonial-owned steamers engaged in the intercolonial trade paid from £10,000 to £20,000 more in wages than European-owned steamers. For the purposes of this motion he called all extra Commonwealth steamers foreign steamers. During last year those foreign steamers earned £66,000 on the Australian coast, while they obtained the bulk of their stores outside the Commonwealth. The question was too big for an abstract motion. It could be best grappled with by an inter-state conference.

Mr. SOLOMON (S.A.) said the motion was far-reaching, since it attempted to erect a wall around Australia in the interests of local shipowners. This motion if carried into effect would practically prevent all negotiations of commerce through French or German companies. The principal objection to any interference with trade in this way was that the very shipowners this motion would protect could not afford to hamper their dealings with their best customers in the way proposed. If they attempted to carry protection into everything it would be a poor lookout for the best interests of Australian commerce.

The PREMIER said he thought that interesting as the subject was it would not be wise to push on with the motion at present. The Minister of Customs was making inquiries on the matter, and besides he fully expected the Government would next session be able to pass a Shipping and Navigation Act. (Hear, hear.) While they had power to legislate in the way suggested they must remember that consideration had to be given to their relations with other countries. He also thought that the Inter-State Commission Bill dealt with much of what was included in the motion, and therefore asked that it be withdrawn.

Mr. KING O'MALLEY agreed to the course suggested, which was adopted.

AUSTRALIAN SOLDIERS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Mr. PIESSE (Tas.) moved that a return be furnished of all soldiers who left Australia for South Africa, showing their present positions and what had been done for them, or in case of death their dependents. He bore high testimony to the valor and steadfastness shown by Australians in the field.

The PREMIER said he had no objection to getting all the information the Commonwealth Government could obtain on the subject. It should be remembered, however, that information on all these subjects could only be obtained from the States, and he suggested the insertion of words allowing them to approach the States authorities to that end.

Mr. PIESSE agreed.

Mr. THOMSON (N.S.W.) said he fully agreed with the spirit of the motion, and of what had been said by Mr. Piesse. He thought that many [men] who went to the war had not been fairly dealt with even by the Federal Government, and he hoped the Premier would remember their claims.

The motion was agreed to.

PROPOSED COMMONWEALTH NAVAL SERVICE.

The PREMIER said he had received a copy of a letter from Rear-Admiral Beaumont in reply to a despatch from the Governor-General with reference to the formation of a Commonwealth Naval Service.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

The PREMIER, in answer to Mr. Solomon, said as far as possible a tally was being kept of journeys made by members on their railway passes, so as to enable a settlement of accounts between the Federal Government and the various railway departments.

Sir P. FYSH told Sir Langdon Bonython (S.A.) that as soon as circumstances permitted telegraphic communication would be extended to Tarcoola (S.A.), where at present there were only 350 to 400 residents.

ADJOURNMENT.

The House adjourned at 3.25 p.m. until Tuesday at 2.30 p.m.

DINNER TO A COMMERCIAL MAN.

Mr. George Lorimer, a director of Renard and Co., Limited, has just returned from a nine months' trip to England and the Continent, and last night he was entertained at the Australia Hotel at a dinner by the firm. The party was not numerous, but it was representative, and unquestionably highly enjoyable. The chairman was Mr. T. Yates-Smith, managing director of Renard and Co., Limited, and amongst those present were:—Messrs. J. C. Goodwin, Hindle (John Bardsley and Co.), George Turnbull (National Bank of Australasia), James Sandy (James Sandy and Co.), James M. Ingus, W. A. Barlow, D. Cormack (J. Sandy and Co.), J. Robertson (South Australia), Frank Brown (Singer Sewing Machines), P. J. Aylwin (Renard and Co., Limited), R. H. Corbett (secretary Renard and Co., Limited), J. R. Love, T. Y. Smith. Apologies for their non-attendance were received from Messrs. L. Blackwood (Renard and Co., Limited), W. C. Douglass, E. Tillock (Tillock and Co.), C. Graham (Connell and Co.), J. D. Fisher (Connell and Co.), Tooth and Co., and Toohey and Co. After an excellent repast the chairman gave the toast of "The Guest" in laudatory terms. This was received with demonstrations of pleasure.

Mr. George Lorimer responded. He described his researches into business affairs of the old country, and said that as the outcome of our South African affairs we had aroused a feeling which would never be obliterated. England had discovered that she had in Australia a growth of warriors—that Great Britain had bred here a nation of Nimrods; and Great Britain would also discover that in the commercial world she had achieved a similar result. She would find here a market that would vie with almost any other in the world. He had seen everywhere a great deal in the press about the decline of the British manufactures as compared with those of the Continent, but though he had travelled throughout the United Kingdom he did not find one manufacturer in the whole country anxious to receive orders from this or any other market, because they were all working at their top speed. One curious discovery he had made, and that was that the manufacturers on the Continent quoted about 25 per cent. in advance of the prices asked by their London agents for the same goods. English commerce would not fall under those circumstances. There was a good deal in the German press about the decline of British commerce, but the German commerce was coming out here through English houses. He thought that Australian houses would do well to keep in touch with British houses, and he hoped that so far as his own firm was concerned they would send a representative home every three years. (Applause.)

Mr. Frank Brown proposed the health of Renard and Co., and the motion being seconded by Mr. D. Cormack, was cordially agreed to.

MARRICKVILLE COTTAGE HOSPITAL.

The monthly meeting of the Marrickville Cottage Hospital was held at the hospital on Tuesday evening last. Mr. W. Vicars, J.P. (vice-president), presided, and there were also present Mrs. Trivett, Miss Lawson, Messrs. C. W. Bloomfield, W. Wyatt, G. Holland, A. R. Ducker, and Percy Berne, B.A. (hon. secretary). Apologies were received from Alderman Gould, Mr. Samuel Cook, Mr. H. B. Linthorn, and the hon. treasurer, Major James, R.E., J.P., who was too ill to attend. Accounts to the amount of £55 5s 9d were passed for payment. A letter from the industrial secretary of the Saturday Hospital Fund informing the committee "that the cost of hospital maintenance of every regular industrial subscriber who shall have been admitted to the hospital for medical treatment should be paid for at the rate of 4s per day" was referred to the secretary for report. The matron's report for the month was as follows:—Admissions 14, male 7, female 7; discharges 9, males 5, females 4; deaths, 1; remaining in hospital, 10; operations, 6; out-patients treated, 10. The bank balance was £93 0s 6d, the principal receipts for July being from stud sheep sales, £10; Hospital Saturday Fund, £85; Christian Endeavour Union (proceeds of concert), £5 16s; from the Railway Commissioners, in recognition of the valuable services rendered on the occasion of the recent railway accident at Sydenham, £10 10s; and from the Dulwich Hill Brass Band, £1 4s 3d. Votes of thanks to the donors were carried by acclamation. The following sub-committees were appointed for the ensuing month:—Visiting committee, Mrs. Trivett, Miss Lawson, Messrs. Bloomfield and Wyatt; house committee, Messrs. George Holland, W. Wyatt, and C. W. Bloomfield.

This week's "Sydney Mail" contains illustrations of the interior of Anthony Hordern's destroyed Furniture Building, showing the places where the bodies were found.—Advt.

SOCIAL.

His Excellency the Governor-General arrived at Cairns on Thursday, and was met by his brother-in-law, Mr. E. De Moleyns. Lord Hopetoun intends remaining in the northern part of Queensland for about a month, where it is hoped the warmer climate will prove beneficial to his Excellency's health.

A London correspondent writes that the marriage of Lady Alice Boyle, second daughter of Lord and Lady Glasgow, with Colonel Fergusson, D.S.O., Adjutant-General of the Egyptian Army and eldest son of Sir James Fergusson, of Kilkerran, took place last month. It is somewhat of a coincidence that the fathers of both bride and bridegroom should have held the position of Governor of New Zealand. The bride is said to be the most accomplished of Lady Glasgow's three clever daughters. Colonel Fergusson was seconded some years ago from the Grenadier Guards for service in Egypt and has had a distinguished career there.

The questions of etiquette affecting the King as a diner-out have, says the "Daily Chronicle," settled themselves very easily, and all the rumours that his Majesty would probably entertain his subjects rather than be entertained by them may be dismissed as wide of the mark. During last month the King dined, to meet small parties, with Georgiana Countess of Dudley, with the Marquis of Londonderry, with the Countess de Grey, and other friends. Bridge has been played after dinner, and into the small hours of the morning. The only nervous thing about these occasions is lest the guests should not all have assembled before his Majesty arrives; but in this case the etiquette was as strict in the case of the Prince as it now is in the case of the King.

Lord and Lady Jersey's garden parties at Osterley Park are always among the most enjoyable social events of the summer. A series is being given this year, as usual. Tea is served in the great stone hall at the end of the garden, and a band plays throughout the afternoon. Lady Jersey's daughters help to do the honours. At a recent garden party the guests included, among others, Lady Iddesleigh, Lady Llangattock, Lord and Lady Crewe, Mrs. Dudley Leigh, and Mrs. Clifford Corry.

An English correspondent writes that Viscount Wendover, the six-year-old heir of Earl Carrington, made his debut as a public speaker at High Wycombe by opening an "at home" and sale of work on behalf of the Church of England Waifs and Strays' Society. He was accompanied by his mother and sisters, the Ladies Ruperta, Myse, and Victoria Carrington. On entering the hall Viscount Wendover was received with a song of welcome from a choir of young ladies, and was presented with a bouquet by the little daughter of Rev. E. S. Shaw, the vicar. Then, mounting a table, his lordship said, vigorously but gracefully, "The 'at home' is open." The work of buying and selling began promptly after this short but appropriate speech.

The New South Wales Corps of Engineers held their annual dance in the Paddington Town Hall on Friday evening, August 9. The function proved enjoyable and successful in every way, about 210 couples being present. The committee had the room decorated with flags, mottoes, and materials used in military engineering. There was a trestle-piling bridge and a diver on the stage, and a star of bayonets and various photographs distributed on the walls of the room. At the top of the main stairs was a large field company's trophy, made of materials used in earthworks, bridging, and an observatory for signalling purposes. Those present included Colonel and Mrs. T. S. Parrott, Major and Mrs. J. H. A. Lee, Major C. Stuart Cansdell, V.D., Captain and Mrs. J. H. R. King, Captain and Mrs. F. S. Horsley, Lieutenant P. C. Day, Lieutenant J. M. Conroy, Lieutenant and Mrs. C. Parton, Miss E. Parton, Lieutenant A. A. Dirks, Lieutenant R. S. Littlejohn, Lieutenant J. H. D. Brearley, Lieutenant J. N. C. M'Taggart, Lieutenant E. V. T. Rowe, Miss Rowe, Lieutenant J. R. Bainton, and Lieutenant T. A. C. Calvert, W.O. st. E. Sheldon, W.O. T. Ayton and Miss Ayton, W.O. S. Blakely, Q.M.S. and Mrs. J. James, C.S.M. J. Tait, Miss A. Pantlin, Miss S. Dore, Misses Craig, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Stedman. Staff-sergeant F. W. Pantlin as hon. secretary and Sapper G. Lesage as hon. treasurer had all the arrangements well carried out. The masters of ceremonies were Q.M.S. Sullivan, Corporal Hinton, and Sappers Stedman and Murphy.

One of the most successful balls held in Goulburn was given in the Oddfellows' Hall on Thursday evening, 8th instant, by the local troop of the 1st Australian Horse, to raise funds for the district encampment to be held in October next. There was an attendance of nearly 100 couples, and in the dress circle there was a large number of spectators. Captain Wray, one of the first officers of the troop, and recently returned from South Africa, was present, and received a warm welcome from his comrades and friends. The hall was decorated with military accoutrements, the effect being excellent. Round the walls were ranged the arms of the regiment, a most attractive display being made. The supper-tables were tastefully decorated in the colours of the regiment (green and yellow), worked out with choice flowers, greenery, and coloured paper. The flowers were procured from Sydney, and were a present to the committee from Miss Faithfull, of Springfield Estate. Over the tables were suspended coloured lights and floral baskets, a charming effect being produced. The work of decorating the tables was entrusted to Miss Mattie Chisholm and Miss Amy Betts. The ladies' committee for the supper consisted of Mesdames A. B. Chisholm, Gilfillan, and F. Wedd, and Misses Betts, A. Betts, Muriel O'Brien, Myra Hunt, Beegling, and Mattie Chisholm. The secretaries were Sergeant-major Wedd and Trooper Betts; and the Ms.C. were four members of the troop. Amongst those present were Miss Faithfull, Mrs. A. B. Chisholm, Miss Mattie Chisholm, Miss Vera Chisholm, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Victor Cumming, Miss Aubrey, the Misses Hunt, Miss E. Beegling, Mrs. Burkitt, Miss Muriel O'Brien, Mrs. C. Ferguson, the Misses Gale, the Misses Sheaffe, Miss Coombe, Miss Mary Studdy, Mrs. H. Atkinson, Mrs. E. C. Brydon, Mrs. T. F. Meyer, Mrs. Handcock, Mrs. Jamieson, Miss Jamieson, Mrs. C. E. Mackenzie, Miss Ross, Miss Hay, Miss Betts, Mrs. Bryson, Miss E. Badgery, Mrs. F. Wedd, Miss L. Gaskell, Miss Duncan, Miss Carnford, Miss Mustard, Miss M'Killop, Mrs. A. Davidson, Miss Higgins, Miss Stewart, Miss Knight, Miss Saul, Miss Wallace, Miss Topham, Miss Ferrier, Miss Nash, Miss Ifield, Miss Starks, Mrs. W. Quartly, Mrs. A. S. Chisholm, Miss Mayete Chisholm, Miss Sylvia Chisholm, Mrs. Gibbs, Miss Todhunter (Warrou), Miss M. Todhunter, Miss Bossier, Miss C. Moriarty, Miss H. Moriarty, Miss Douglas, Mrs. Ivor W. Onslow-Thompson (Taralga), the Misses Morton, Miss Hope (Sydney), Miss Baker, Miss Jones, Mrs. Harris (Lynton), Miss B. Baxter, Miss Milne, Mrs. Bryson-Montgomery, Miss Gordon, Miss Johnson (Sydney), Mrs. Steele, Miss Bailey, Mrs. Shadler, Miss Powell, Miss Emily Manson, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. A. Lake, Miss E. Mills, Miss E. Rankin, Miss Pearce, Mrs. Hume, Miss Morris, and Miss Manson. The members of the troop wore their uniforms, which enhanced the brilliancy of the scene in the ballroom.

The annual ball in aid of the Sutherland Roman Catholic Church was held in Lobb's Hall on Wednesday, August 7, and proved a successful function. The building was effectively decorated for the occasion, and many visitors were present from Sydney and suburbs, amongst whom were Mrs. Price, Mrs. Norton, Mrs. J. Hayes, Miss E. Dwyer, Miss Olive Dwyer, Mrs. Derry, Miss Lizzie Dwyer, Miss J. Kidd, Miss M. Mullins, Miss Minnie Hayes, Mrs. Fisher, Miss E. Kelly, Miss Finn, the Misses Cooper, Miss Ada Lobb, Mrs. Meredith, Mrs. F. Dwyer, and the Misses Roberts. Mr. A. Dwyer performed the duties of M.C., and Mr. J. Norton acted as secretary.

The Misses Taylor gave an enjoyable dance at their residence, Broadview, Parramatta, on August 3. Supper was served in the dining-room; on the six tables were silver candlesticks with rose-pink shades and artistic decorations with arches of jonquils, violets, and asparagus fern. Amongst those present were Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Miss Madge Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor, Mrs. M'Dearmid, Mrs. R. Collins, Misses Norris (2), M'Cormack, Cohen, Hall, and Dawson, and Messrs M'Cormack, St. Scow, Vaughan Wilson, Collins, Broughton Young, E. Burr, J. Burr, Stephenson, Wilshire, and Dr. Lipscombe.

The Christ Church Football Club held their third annual ball on Friday, August 9, at the New Masonic Hall, which was prettily decorated. The function proved a great success. The committee consisted of Messrs. George Dent, J. Fyfe, A. T. Douglass, and H. Tiler (hon. secretary). Messrs. J. Fyfe and A. T. Douglass acted as Ms.C.

On Wednesday night a ball organised by a number of local residents was held in the Balmain Town Hall in aid of the funds of the Balmain Cottage Hospital. The function was largely attended, and was a brilliant success. The hall was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting, the work being carried out by the local members of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade. Dancing was heartily indulged in. Supper, provided by a ladies' committee under the presidency of Mrs. P. J. Nelligan and Mr. D. A. Rogers (secretary), was served. A programme of 21 dances was carried out under Messrs. E. B. Shaw, J. Curran, A. Smith, and W. Bernard as masters of ceremonies. The whole of the arrangements were in the hands of a large committee, with Mr. A. Melville as treasurer and Mr. E. B. Shaw as secretary, and Mr. D. H. Easton president.

The marriage of Mr. F. L. M. Merewether, youngest son of the late Mr. E. C. Merewether, of Bondi, and Miss Sylvia Gore, second daughter of Mr. A. J. Gore, Campbelltown, took place at All Saints' Church, Woollahra, on Wednesday, July 31, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Wallace Mort, M.A. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a beautiful dress of white crepe de chine, embroidered in silver and trimmed with old lace, and a chiffon flounce embroidered with silver. Her long tulle veil, which was arranged over a coronet wreath of orange blossoms, was fastened with a diamond and turquoise star, the gift of the bridegroom, who also presented her with a lovely shower bouquet. She was attended by four bridesmaids, the Misses Nina and Dorothy Gore, Ella Busby (niece of the bridegroom), and Barlow Holdship (cousin of the bride). The two first-named wore white glace silk covered with fine white French muslin flounced with Valenciennes lace, white hats with white feathers and pink roses, and carried shower bouquets of pink roses, the gift of the bridegroom. The Misses Busby and Holdship wore Empire dresses of white muslin trimmed with Valenciennes lace, and white "granny" bonnets; their gold necklets and the gold and turquoise bangles worn by the Misses Gore were gifts from the bridegroom. Mr. William Hickson acted as best man, and Mr. Herbert Johnston as groomsman. After the ceremony a reception was held by Mrs. Merewether at Castlefield, Edgecliff-road, and the newly married couple received the congratulations of their friends. Later Mr. and Mrs. F. Merewether left for Cairns, the bride's going-away dress being a tailor-made heliotrope cloth strapped with silk of the same colour, a white hat trimmed with pink roses, and a chiffon boa.

The marriage of Mr. John Francis Daly, of Camden, with Miss Amy Eagles, second daughter of Mr. A. Eagles, of Belmore-road, Randwick, and niece of the late Hon. James Tyson, of Felton, Toowoomba, took place at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Randwick, on the 7th instant. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. Merg, M.S.H., the bridegroom being accompanied by Mr. Wilson as best man. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Ernest Eagles, and wore a dress of ivory satin trimmed with chiffon and orange blossoms. Her sisters, the Misses Lily and Minnie Eagles, acted as bridesmaids, and wore white muslin, trimmed with insertion and lace over white silk, white silk hats with chiffon trimmings and gold buckles, and carried large shower bouquets of daffodils. After the ceremony a numerous company of friends assembled at Woodville, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Eagles, where the wedding breakfast was served. The wedding presents were numerous and costly. Mr. and Mrs. Daly left by the P. and O. R.M.S. Australia on a honeymoon trip to England and the Continent.

There was a large attendance at the Roman Catholic Church, Wyalong, on Wednesday, July 31, to witness the marriage of Miss E. J. Parrott, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parrott, of West Wyalong, late of Gundagai, with Mr. D. J. O'Brien, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Father Vaughan. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a steel-grey dress with white satin and chiffon trimmings, and a white felt hat with ostrich feathers and tucked chiffon. She also wore a handsome gold bangle and diamond ring, the gifts of the bridegroom. There were two bridesmaids—Miss Mary O'Brien and Miss Mary Parrott—both of whom wore cream cashmere, with gold trimmings, and hats to match. Their opal brooches were the gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. Thomas O'Brien was best man, and Messrs. C. B. Parrott and W. O'Brien groomsmen. After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the residence of the bride's parents, where a reception was held and the wedding breakfast served, the tables being beautifully decorated with choice flowers sent up from Sydney by the bride's aunt, Mrs. E. Bannister. Many handsome and useful presents were received.

The annual dance in aid of the funds of St. Margaret's Hospital, Redfern, was held at the Paddington Town Hall on Tuesday evening, and was a great success. The ladies' committee worked most assiduously to make the dance enjoyable for all. Mrs. John Hughes was the president of the committee, which also included Mrs. Mark Foy, Mrs. J. J. Smith, Mrs. A. V. Johnson, and Mrs. J. H. Landau (vice-presidents), Miss Daly (treasurer), and Mrs. Oldfield and Miss Annie Mullens (joint hon. secretaries), with Mesdames Beckett, Bottrill, Leach-Finn, Isaacs, Byrne, and the Misses Mullens and Purcell. The attendance numbered about 400, and included, in addition to those named, Sister Magdalene (sub-matron), Sisters Clare and Margaret, Nurses Oldfield, C. Kelly, Lynch, Mack, Cleary, De Witt, Buckley, Lancaster, and Brooks. An excellent supper was served at 11 p.m. The duties of masters of ceremonies were satisfactorily carried out by Messrs. Byrne, Purcell, Cohen, H. E. Lawrence, and Dr. Beckett.

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DEPUTATIONS.

HOMES FOR STATE CHILDREN.

Mr. M'Court, M.L.A., introduced to the Premier yesterday a deputation from Mittagong with regard to local cottage homes for state children. The deputation consisted of Alderman John Mealing, Mayor of Mittagong, Alderman Parkinson, Mr. G. S. Liutot (manager of the Mittagong malt works), and Mr. J. W. Mealing.

Mr. M'Court said at present there were seven or eight of these homes scattered over the town. This was not very pleasant for the people, nor was it beneficial for the children. The State children's department agreed that these homes should be concentrated on one spot, and the deputation asked that a sum should be placed on the next Estimates for that purpose.

Alderman J. Mealing presented a petition signed by the residents of Mittagong in support of the request of the deputation. He said in the summer months Mittagong was a sanatorium, and the homes, as they were scattered at present, proved a drawback to the town. It would be better to locate these homes somewhere outside the town, and a concentration of them would be economical for the Government.

Sir Arthur Renwick, speaking on behalf of the State Children's Relief Department, said some years ago he had reported that at an expenditure of £10,000 for the purchase of land and the erection of cottages the whole difficulty would be removed, a great convenience would be given to the State Children's Relief Department, and a great saving in expense would be effected. These homes were not for healthy children, but sick children were sent there, and as soon as the healthy air and water of Mittagong had restored them they were boarded out in accordance with the system. This work had been promised by previous Governments, but had not been carried out. The State Children's Relief Department was only too anxious to have it carried out.

The Premier said there seemed to be a great deal of force in the representations that had been made. He would call for an official report promptly, and then he would come to a decision. If the report was satisfactory, he would take action at once.

FIRE STATION FOR RANDWICK.

A deputation from the Randwick Municipal Council waited on the Premier yesterday afternoon to ask that a fire brigade station should be built at Randwick. The deputation consisted of Alderman I. B. Hodgson (Mayor) and Alderman Gale, Suape, Kennedy, Carter, Hannan, Hincks, Bundock, and Barrsdale, and the council clerk (Mr. E. H. Strachan).

Alderman Hodgson said the deputation asked the Government to put a sum on the Estimates for the construction of a fire brigade station at Randwick. The council had the land.

Other members of the deputation spoke in support of the request.

Superintendent Webb said the heavy demands made on the Fire Brigades Board of late years had compelled the board to go to the Government for assistance. The funds of the board were not sufficient to enable it to keep pace with the growth of the city and suburbs. The board had no funds for building further branches this year.

The Premier said the Government paid a contribution of one-third to the revenue of the Fire Brigades Board, and it seemed unreasonable to ask the Government to give the land, the building, and the plant. He would put a certain sum on the Estimates, but he would put the Randwick Council to the test of contributing half the cost of the station. The Government was first asked to give the land, and had done so; now the Government was asked to provide the building and plant. He would put £1000 on the Estimates, £600 was already voted, and the council would have to find the rest.

REGISTERED PHARMACISTS' SOCIETY.

A deputation from the council of the Registered Pharmacists' Society of New South Wales waited upon the Premier yesterday afternoon and asked that the council be placed in the same position as the Pharmaceutical Society in regard to subsidy.

The deputation consisted of Messrs. C. E. Newman and R. T. Bellemey, who asked that their society be placed in a similar position to the Pharmaceutical Society. They urged that both societies were doing the same kind of work, and one society ought not to have an advantage over the other. The Pharmaceutical Society occupied rooms in Government offices.

The Premier said he would have the matter inquired into.

PARRAMATTA WATER SUPPLY.

Mr. Moxham, M.L.A., yesterday introduced to the Premier a deputation from the Parramatta Council with reference to the water supply to Government institutions. The deputation consisted of the Mayor (Alderman Noller), Alderman Price, and Alderman Champion.

Mr. Moxham said they had a good water supply at Parramatta, and if the institutions in the town ceased taking the local supply it would seriously affect the revenue of the local water works. One institution had discontinued the use of the supply. The council had gone to a large expenditure in constructing the water works before there was a Sydney water supply, and it would be hard on the people of the town if this source of revenue were cut off.

The Premier said if any recommendation came before him upon this matter he would give it full consideration.

SYDNEY CITY MISSION.

Mr. Daley, M.L.A., introduced to the Premier yesterday afternoon a deputation from the Sydney City Mission to ask for a site for a mission hall within the area of the Rocks resumption. The deputation consisted of the Revs. George Campbell (president of the mission), Dr. Dill Macky, G. Brown, J. Buchan, M.A., E. Moore (general secretary), Messrs. G. W. F. Addison, W. Crispin, Morison Stewart, W. J. Baker, C. Lewis, and J. S. Harrison (hon. treasurer).

The Rev. G. Campbell said they were anxious to have a mission hall building on the Rocks. They had for some time past wanted the Ragged School. The changes that had taken place in that locality had induced them to make an attempt to build a hall. They had collected some money for that purpose, and had tried to obtain a site, but suitable sites had been too expensive. Now that the Government had resumed part of the Rocks they asked for a site on a perpetual or a long lease on a nominal a rental as possible. They wanted a hall, not only for the spiritual good of the people, but to have a gymnasium, a reading-room, and other adjuncts so as to keep people off the streets and away from the temptations of the city. The City Mission had been extremely useful in the community and he was sure it had saved the Government a good deal of money in keeping order and in alleviating distress.

The Rev. Dr. Dill Macky said the mission reached a class of people who were outside the scope of the churches. He was sorry to say that was so, and he could not tell why. However, the missionary got hold of people whom the clergyman could not reach. All the churches were in sympathy with the City Mission.

The Premier said he favoured the proposal that a piece of land should be set apart by the Government in the resumed area as a site for a mission hall. The object the Government had in resuming the Rocks was to put that portion of the city in a better position than hitherto. He thought their proposal would receive the favourable consideration of his colleagues. If the Government decided to set aside a site for a mission hall the land would be leased at a nominal value, and the rental would have to be paid by the mission. He quite agreed with having an institution of that kind in that locality.

"Glimpses in the Bega District" is the title of a pretty page of views in this week's "Sydney Mail."—Advt.

DAIRY FARMERS' UNION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

CONTINUATION OF THE CONFERENCE.

THE PROPOSED BUTTER EXCHANGE.

The conference in connection with the newly-formed Dairy Farmers' Union of New South Wales continued and concluded its sittings yesterday under the presidency of the chairman of the executive council, Mr. Alexander Hay, of Berry. There was again a full attendance of delegates.

THE GRADING OF BUTTER.

Mr. Hayes (Singleton), who on the previous day had moved,—"That in the opinion of this conference of dairymen it is highly desirable that a Government depot be established in Sydney for the proper grading of butter for export; and that this resolution be conveyed to the hon. the Minister for Agriculture," on the resumption of the debate yesterday morning, suggested that the discussion should stand over for a future conference to deal with the question.

Mr. Alex. Campbell, M.L.A. (Kiama), moved, and Mr. Graham (Kangaroo Valley) seconded, the following amendment,—"That the object of placing a better quality of butter on the market, both locally and for export, will be better attained by the grading of cream at the creameries and butter factories than by the establishment of grading depots."

Mr. Cottee (Richmond River) pointed out that a farmer might have in his paddocks some kind of noxious weed which might taint the whole of the butter his herd produced. Such cream would have to be treated as of second class, and great care would be necessary in dealing with it. Something of this kind had already taken place at Byron Bay.

Mr. Aberdeen (Nowra) said that if there was such a taint it would still remain in the cream, even if the farmer had a private separator.

Mr. Cottee said that in such a case the taint would be detected by taste and the cream would be rated as of second class.

Mr. Aberdeen said they could only succeed by the pasteurisation of the milk and he believed they would soon have to adopt a compulsory system of grading the cream or of grading the butter at the factories.

Mr. Alex. Campbell said that if they graded the cream they knew who was responsible for the cream, but if the grading took place with regard to the butter only they did not know who was responsible, as the factories did not treat the milk sent in by producers separately. One frequent source of trouble in making good butter and cheese was the fact that in all cases the "beastings" were not properly exhausted from the cow before the cream was sent to the factory. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. P. Robb (Kiama) said his view was that the factory was the proper place to grade the butter, but he would like to know if in the case of managers refusing to take any cream that was supplied, what was to become of it? He knew of a case in which cream was refused and allowed to remain in Sussex-street for some days and then returned, and the owner subsequently received top price for his product. (Laughter.) His view was that if the cream was sent down to the factories fresh every day in the summer time, it would be much better for all concerned. He would support the amendment.

The President (Mr. Alexander Hay, of Berry) said he was in sympathy with both the motion and the amendment, but he was afraid the amendment would utterly break down in operation, because the union had no power and no machinery to bring it into effect. He agreed that the creamery was the proper place to grade the cream, but the Union could only advise farmers, and appeal to them to carry out these suggestions. If they were heedless of this appeal and advice, the union could do nothing more. He thought, therefore, the motion was more likely to bring about a satisfactory result, but he feared in passing it they would act somewhat prematurely, as they had not received the fullest information and evidence that was obtainable. He thought the delegates would agree with him that the Union should not be associated with failure at the outset of its career.

Mr. Aberdeen (Nowra) moved as a further amendment,—"That this matter be referred by the delegates to all the branch unions, and that it shall be thoroughly discussed by them." If this were done they could hold another conference, at which they could come to a proper decision.

Mr. Cotterell (Richmond River) seconded this amendment.

Mr. Alex. Campbell (Kiama) expressed surprise that anyone should regard the question of the grading of butter and cream as a new one. He did not think the farmers would be able to come to a more definite conclusion with regard to it three months' hence than they were now, and he doubted whether they could get a more representative conference together than that at present assembled. He thought delegates who were not able to give a vote on the question now should go home and be replaced by other men.

Mr. Aberdeen pointed out that the branch unions had only just been initiated, and they had not had time as yet to give this matter the consideration it deserved.

Mr. Williams (Lower Hunter) said that the Hunter and Williams Rivers districts had only recently gone in for dairying, and it would be better if the consideration of the question were deferred for a little while so that the legislation proposed should be of a successful character.

Mr. Campbell: Don't you think your people would be safe in following the course adopted and proved to be a success by your neighbours on the Richmond River?

Mr. Williams said all that could be done was to appeal to the farmers and the people interested in the industry, and as Mr. Aberdeen's proposal would give time for this he would support it.

On a vote being taken the amendment proposed by Mr. Campbell was agreed to by 13 votes to 12.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CONFERENCE.

On the motion of Mr. Whips (Alstonville), seconded by Mr. Gray (Pearce's Creek), it was resolved that the proceedings of the conference should be printed in pamphlet form and distributed amongst the various branch unions.

THE CATTLE DISEASES ACT.

On the motion of Mr. A. Cooke (Alstonville), seconded by Mr. Waldron (Clunes), it was decided that at the next conference an effort should be made to amend the Cattle Diseases Act.

SUPERVISION OF STOCK AND PREMISES.

On the suggestion of Mr. T. H. Gibson (Crookwell) it was agreed that the conference should recommend that in any future legislation regarding the Dairy Supervision Act the registration of dairymen's premises remain in force until they either remove to another locality or get notice that their registration has been cancelled through neglect.

QUALIFICATIONS OF FACTORY MANAGERS.

Mr. Young (Bangalow) initiated an informal discussion on the question of the qualifications of factory managers by giving it as his opinion that persons holding such positions should be theoretically and practically trained to the business.

The Chairman said that at the Berry factory they took the students from the Hawkesbury College and put them through a course of training free of charge. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Young thought the union should ask the Government to supply funds for the purpose of educating young men in this business.

Mr. Cottee (Richmond River) expressed the opinion that on the Northern rivers some steps should be taken by the Government to afford instruction to young men taking up this industry as a profession. In his view the importance of the industry demanded something of this kind, for this year that district would produce something like £500,000 worth of butter, and inside the next 10 years the industry would probably produce £6,000,000 worth. Consequently capable factory managers were required so that the interests of the industry should not be jeopardised, and the Government should do something to utilise the Wollongbar establishment for the training of young men.

Mr. Aberdeen agreed that educational establishments of the kind suggested were necessary in both the northern and southern districts in order that young men should be taught the dairying business thoroughly, but he thought also that the students should be prepared to expend something for receiving that instruction, as they had to in respect of any other trade or profession. On leaving these educational establishments the students ought to receive certificates of proficiency in the manufacturing of butter and cheese, and in the management of machinery.

Mr. Waldron (Richmond River) agreed with this view. The farmers wanted to be as independent of the Government as possible, and did not desire to go to them cap in hand for everything they required. In his view the Government should confine itself to working out the best interests of the country instead of interfering with everything, and taking away the labour of the country by offering wages which no private individual could pay. (Hear, hear.) The dairy-farmers should endeavour to keep their industry independent of the Government, and only ask that they should be properly represented in the community.

Mr. Warden (Milton) thought that all the large centres should give this matter serious attention, and that the branch unions should recommend young men as students at the proposed educational factories.

Mr. P. Robb (Kiama) said the Union should use all its influence in this matter, and should ask the directors of large factories to allow young men to come to them and learn the business. He was confident the gentlemen referred to would willingly accede to such a request.

Mr. Whips (Alstonville) said the manager at Wollongbar had acted in a manner similar to that adopted at Berry in regard to students. It was, however, essential that the students should be young men who manifested an interest in the work.

The matter was then allowed to drop.

SALE OF BUTTER PER CWT.

It was agreed on the suggestion of Mr. Watt (Nowra), and seconded by Mr. Graham (Kangaroo Valley), that the next conference should take into consideration the question of the sale of butter by the cwt. instead of by the lb.

THE COLOURING OF MARGARINE.

On the motion of Mr. N. O. Skilien (Dungog), seconded by Mr. Allison (Dungog), it was resolved "That in the opinion of this conference of dairy farmers, on account of the large interests at stake, it is now high time that the Government should proceed with the promises of legislation made by two Ministers for Agriculture, and bring in a bill to deal with the colouring of margarine, and so prevent the continuance of a state of things which to-day is termed a curse over the whole world."

DEPUTATION TO THE MINISTER.

The chairman reported that a deputation had waited upon the Minister for Agriculture with regard to the matter of railway passes for delegates to the conference, and also to ask him to supply the unions with copies of any bills affecting their interests which it was proposed to bring before Parliament. The Minister had promised to forward the bills as requested, and said he would endeavour to get the railway passes after he was furnished by the secretary with a list of the members who attended the union's conference.

SUPERVISION OF EXPORTS.

On the motion of Mr. Cottee, seconded by Mr. W. H. Gray (Pearce's Creek), it was resolved that, with the view of the discussion of the question of Government supervision of all exports of perishable products, information be obtained and sent to the branches of the unions showing how the supervision Acts in operation in New Zealand and Victoria worked; that this information be disseminated, and the subject discussed at next conference.

FUTURE MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE.

Mr. D. Thorburn (Berry) moved, and Mr. Aberdeen seconded,—"That the secretary give members of the executive committee at least three weeks' notice of future meetings." Carried.

PASTEURISATION OF MILK.

Mr. Aberdeen informally brought up the question of the pasteurisation of milk, and said that the system was condemned by many people who had had no experience of it. It had been said that so far as rearing calves was concerned pasteurised milk was an absolute failure. For his part he could say that in the district he lived in they had been pasteurising the milk for two years and rearing the calves on it, and he could say from personal experience as a farmer that healthier calves could not be raised than were to be found in his district. In fact, if the calves could vote they would be found unanimously in favour of pasteurised milk. (Laughter.) He could further say that pigs also throve extremely well on this milk, and he was satisfied that the people of the district would never go back to the old system in this regard. The manager of their factory, who had had a great deal of experience, also said he would never go back to the old system, as he got a better result in the matter of butter from pasteurised milk than by the other process. It was admitted that butter made from pasteurised milk could not be distinguished from that made from the ordinary if the samples were placed side by side, but he (Mr. Aberdeen) was convinced that it would make its superiority felt when sent to the home market, for it was but reasonable to suppose that the process that would preserve the milk would also preserve the butter.

Mr. Cooke pointed out that some managers of factories had declined to pay any more for pasteurised milk than for ordinary milk, and producers had consequently been discouraged from adopting the system.

Mr. Thorburn maintained that when properly carried out pasteurisation improved milk for the rearing of calves, as it was brought up to the natural temperature of cow's milk. If, however, the milk was not cooled down to the natural temperature before it was fed to calves it would kill them. He admitted that Danish butter made from pasteurised milk was in advance of New South Wales butter on the London market, but at the same time he believed that if Danish butter were sent to our market the local article would prove far superior, and would distance the Danish product more completely than it did our butter on the London market.

Mr. D. C. Pryce (Clunes) said that when the natural conditions were favourable and the animals could obtain pure drinking water he did not think pasteurisation secured any advantages on the local market. As to English buyers, they simply wanted the best butter, and did not demand that it should be made from pasteurised milk.

Mr. Whips said he did not know any farmer who objected to pasteurisation, but they objected to it being made compulsory, for they did not want to be interfered with in the carrying on of their business by the Government or anyone else. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Warden (Milton) pointed out that the reason the Danes pasteurised their milk was that during a considerable portion of the year they had to hand-feed their cattle with turnips, roots, and different kinds of fodder, and this feeding imparted a peculiar flavour to the milk which pasteurisation removed. He had frequently judged butter at shows, and sometimes he had preferred the ordinary butter to that made from pasteurised milk.

The chairman said that at Berry for two or three years past they had obtained a higher price on the Sydney market for butter made from pasteurised milk, but for some time they were imposed upon by persons who were supposed to pasteurise their milk, but did not carry out the process properly. However, they found that by the application of a chemical they could determine at once whether the milk had or had not been properly treated, and the suppliers were paid according to the results of the test.

This closed the discussion.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. Waldron moved and Mr. Skilien seconded the adjournment of the conference sine die, and also a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Alexander Hay for the able manner in which he had conducted the meetings. Both resolutions were carried, and the president, in acknowledging the vote of thanks, said his sole object in taking an active part in the work of the union was to promote to the best of his ability the interests of the farmers of New South Wales. He trusted the union would push forward along the right road, and never do anything that would bring about adverse criticism. Thus they would also secure the ear of the Government and the respect of the whole community, as well as those engaged in the dairy-farming industry. (Hear, hear.)

This concluded the business of the conference.

WOMEN WORKERS.

Dr. Grace Boelke lectured on Wednesday night under the auspices of the Womanhood Suffrage League of New South Wales at the School of Arts, Mrs. C. M. Parkes presiding. There was a large attendance. The subject of the address was "Women Workers." Dr. Boelke dealt with the question in its various phases of work from the toiler to the professional woman. All women who worked for a living, she said, found that their sex was used to handicap them, for the remuneration paid to women was, with very few exceptions, far less than that paid to men. Proud as they might be of the progress woman had made, yet the position of the workers left much still to be desired. Women must take up this subject, study it, and try to find the remedy. Now that the franchise was within view it was a fitting time to inquire into the conditions under which women toiled, for they must remember that the obtaining of the right to vote was not the end but the beginning, and when they obtained the power they must strive to use it wisely. The vote was necessary as a stepping-stone to reforms. Women must be more thoroughly trained and made more capable. To pass special laws for women was of no avail. The conditions under which men and women laboured were alike, and the remedy must be the same for both.

A discussion followed, after which a vote of thanks to the lecturer was carried by acclamation.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

EXHIBITION AND SALE OF WORK.

A successful competitive exhibition and sale of work was held under the auspices of the Ashfield Y.W.C.A. in the Ashfield Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday last. Mr. F. E. Winchcombe, M.L.A., declared the exhibition open. There was a good attendance on both days. The proceeds of the sale were satisfactory, and will be devoted to the development of the local work. The following were the ladies in charge of the various departments:—

Sale of Work.—Mesdames Wilshire and M'Murrick, and Miss Nixon, assisted by members.

Literary Work.—Misses Forbes and Pickard.

Plain and Fancy Needlework.—Mrs. Shaw and helpers.

Laundry Work.—Mesdames Rogers and W. Crane.

Cookery.—Mesdames Webb, Harper, and Sandy, and Miss Shanks.

Horticulture.—Mesdames Cocks and Douglas and Miss Lumsden.

Fine Arts.—Miss Florrie Parsons.

Missionary Loan Exhibition.—Misses Morgan, Hassall, and A. Phillips. Addresses explanatory of the curios exhibited were also kindly given by Mrs. Brownlow, Mr. W. S. Park, and Mrs. Shaw.

Refreshments.—Misses Wark, M'Creddy, Little, Allen, and Robson, with helpers.

The prizes to the successful competitors were distributed on Wednesday evening by Miss Hassall. The following is the prize list:—

Section I., Literary.—Essay, "What has the Y.W.C.A. done for me?": First prize, "A Worker;" second prize, Miss Dick. Essay, "Why should I have a thorough knowledge of Cookery?" (prizes given by Miss Golding): First prize, Miss Webb; second prize, Miss Freshwater. Essay, "Historical Development of Australia": Miss F. Moore. Original tale: Miss F. Helmsley, 1; Miss F. F. Baker, 2. Letter of application for employment: Miss I. Duckett, 1; Miss J. Gunn, 2. Illuminated text: Miss Ida Heffer. Map of Australia: Master Arthur Williams. Specimen of handwriting: Master F. Simson. Stamp album: Master Willis Rogers; special prize, Miss Dorothy Shaw.

Section II., Needlework.—Hand-made nightdress: Miss Edith Moore. Machine-made nightdress: Miss E. Whitney. Hand-made pinafore (girls under 14): Miss Ethel Cray, 1; Miss Olive Barton, 2. Darned stockings: Mrs. Griffiths. Six buttonholes: Mrs. Dallas. Graduated tucks: Miss Ethel Moore. Mount Mellick work: Miss Nixon, 1; Miss Hilda Wilshire, 3. Drawn-thread work: Miss Laura Moffat, 1; Miss F. Mortley, 2. Shadow work: Miss Edith Moore. Smocked frock: Miss Mary Aitken. Plain frock (girls under 14): Miss Ruth Limbrick, special prize. Crochet edging: Miss J. Briggs. Original pincushion: Miss Webb. Best dressed doll: Miss M. M'Gibbon. Most originally dressed doll: Miss F. F. Balser. Hand-made lace: Miss Edith O'Brien. Hand-made lace: Mrs. Norman, special prize. Hand-made lace, collars, and cuffs: Miss Giles.

Section III., Laundry Work.—Best ironed shirt: Miss Annie Barnes, 1; Miss Annie Ryder, 2. Best ironed collar and cuffs: Miss Alice Ryder. Fancy blouse: Miss Mary Palser. Shirt blouse: Miss Annie Ryder. Ironed lace: Miss M. B. Morgan. Ironed d'oyley: Miss Mary Palser. Ironed sunbonnet: Miss M. Palser, 1; Miss Weaver, 2. Ironed nightdress: Miss J. Gunn. Tablecloth: Miss M'Donald. Ironed handkerchief (child under 10), Miss Gweneth Griffiths. Ironed handkerchief and pinafore: Miss Daisy Gillham (special prize).

Section IV.—Cookery: Seed cake, Misses Kimberley and Palser; sponge cake, Miss Jessie Gillham; sandwich cake, Misses Crane and Ada Lewis; rainbow cakes, Misses Shanks and Edith Moore; gingerbread, Misses Crane and Webb; small cakes, Misses Troup and Palser; scones, Misses Wilshire and Simson; four kinds of jam, Miss Webb, Mrs. Dupain Miss Kimberley, special; four kinds of jelly, Miss Pauling; sweets, Miss H. Morgan; pastry, Miss Whitney, special.

Section V.—Horticulture: Three palms, Mrs. Shaw; asparagus fern, Mrs. Studdy; six bulbs, Miss Hall; 12 pansies, Mrs. Shaw; basket of flowers, Mrs. Studdy, special; buttonhole bouquet, Miss M. Watson.

Section VI.—Fine arts.—Oil painting, still-life: Miss J. Dupain, 1; Miss Sadlier, 2. Landscape: Miss Hayley, 1; Miss Cambage, 2. Flowers: Miss Cambage, 1; Miss Holden, 2. Water-colour flowers: Miss M'Murrick, special. Drawing from the cast: Miss Scott, 1 and 2. Drawing from the cast (under 14): Miss Tinley. Drawing, still-life: Miss Cardew, 1; Miss Smith, 2. Drawing, still-life (under 14): Miss Atkinson, Miss Tinley. Etching: Master Hudson, Master Golding.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—August 16.

Peregrine, s., 1661 tons, Captain J. Pain, from Melbourne. Passengers—Miss M'Laughlane, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Shaw and 2 children, Rev. J. H. Toms, Miss Toms, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clarke, Captain J. and Mrs. Stevens, Rev. A. C. Carlotti, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lorimer, Captain Keslake, Mr. and Mrs. Bunslaw, Messrs. D. E. Brown, E. F. Taylor, A. S. Perry, F. Bicker, J. G. Nicholson, Hammell, W. B. Fayter, Kerber, S. J. Amos, J. M'Dougall, O. Griffiths, Sluman, C. W. Greenwood, A. Matherson, R. M'Giffen, Johnson, J. F. Howard, F. L. M'Mahon, L. L. Frisewich, and 40 in the steerage. William Howard Smith and Sons, Ltd., agents.

Cintra, s., 1979 tons, Captain W. C. Thomson, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames H. P. Blake, Bowman, Bonn, C. F. Counsell, Messrs. Adams, Green, Shannon, M. E. Counsell, G. M. Counsell, Gilbert, M. Williamson, R. Ince, Rose, Wickes, J. Torr, A. Kirkpatrick, J. Turnbull, W. Summerville, S. A. White, J. Hill, J. Edgar, J. F. Fraser, J. Fraser, R. Nicol, J. W. Sheoill, and 26 in the steerage. G. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

Leura, s., 1186 tons, Captain W. Ellis, from Queensland ports. Passengers—Mesdames E. O. Lerien, A. B. Chare, Landrale, C. Neil, Levy and two children, W. Fraser, Misses Stretfield, Ruddle, A. Smith, F. C. Smith, Rev. G. Haig, Messrs. F. W. Philips, W. Wingate, J. Muir, S. Heslop, J. Hill, F. Vaughan, T. Lakeman, J. Worham, O. Goddard, H. Davis, R. Christison, A. H. Gelland, F. Must, F. Smith, R. Passmore, W. Crooks, T. Castle, and 32 in the steerage. W. H. Smith and Co., Limited, agents.

Rosedale, s., 274 tons, Captain J. E. Anderson, from Nambucca River and Port Macquarie. Passengers—Messrs. Green and Bertrim, and 9 in the steerage. North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Whangape, s., 2930 tons, Captain Courbarron, from Dunedin and Lyttelton. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Mintaro, s., 2287 tons, Captain J. W. Butcher, from Adelaide. G. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

H.M.S. Boomerang, from Jervis Bay.

Waihora, s., 2003 tons, Captain R. Neville, from Newcastle. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Coomonderry, s., 147 tons, Captain S. Canty, from Moruya. J. Aubin, agent.

Peterborough, s., 159 tons, Captain Wilson, from Bateman's Bay. J. Aubin, agent.

Newcastle, s., 1251 tons, Captain M. Thompson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

DEPARTURES.—August 16.

Tambo, s., for Newcastle.
Senator Versmann, German ship, for Liverpool.
Ikbona, s., for Bombay and Madras, via Newcastle.
Rockton, s., for Melbourne.
Cintra, s., for Cairns, via ports.
Perthshire, s., for Queensland ports.
Barrier, s., for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—August 17.

Ortona, R.M.S., for London, via Marseilles and ports; Runic, s., for London and Liverpool, via Capetown and ports; Waihora, s., for Wellington and New Zealand ports; Yawata Maru, s., for Melbourne; Leura, s., for Melbourne; Peregrine, s., for Townsville, via ports; Eurimbla, s., for Rockhampton, via ports; Tambo, s., for Hobart; Namoi, s., for Newcastle; Kallatina, s., for Clarence River; St. George, s., for Richmond River; Burrawong, s., for Macleay River; Eureka, s., for Bellinger River; Nambucca, s., for Nambucca River; Castano, ship, for Rotterdam, via South Africa.

CLEARANCES.—August 16.

Cintra, s., 1979 tons, Captain W. C. Thompson, for Cairns, via ports. Passengers—Mr. H. Heatherington, Mr. W. F. Anderson, Mr. R. Seaton, Mr. C. A. M'Donald, Mr. F. Coxon, Mr. R. Nicol, Mr. J. S. Neville, Mr. J. Fraser, Mr. W. Helton, Mr. Forbes, Mr. P. Torpey, Mr. Mackell, Mr. A. Costello, Mr. J. J. Fraser, Mr. Volkmann, Mrs. Counsellor, Miss I. Counsellor, Miss V. Counsellor, Miss Shannon, Miss Gilbert, Miss Williamson, Miss Cherry, Mrs. Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. Hull, Mrs. Wiltshire and child, Miss Tilly, Mrs. Campbell, and 18 in the steerage.

Rockton, s., 1971 tons, Captain M. M. Osborne, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mr. F. A. Weston, Mrs. J. Abel, Mr. J. R. Eatnorne, Mr. J. Seyfforth, Mr. C. Parbury, Mr. Hamilton, Mr. Shelley, Mr. Ramsden, Mr. M. Richards, Mr. E. J. Edwards, Mr. Jas. Moore, Mr. W. Feshey, Mr. P. Morris, Mr. E. P. Melbridge, Mr. K. Goo'ser, Mrs. Tore and four children, Miss S. Morris, Mr. Watson and infant, Mrs. J. Gleeson, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mrs. Osborne, Mr. J. Lea, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, Mr. Fraser, Miss Anderson, Mr. G. Richards, and 22 in the steerage.

Perthshire, s., 5550 tons, Captain Stewart, for London, via Queensland ports.

Frieda Mahn, German barque, 1266 tons, Captain Staben, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle.

Mimiro, s., 6245 tons, Captain Felgate, for London, via Auckland, with part original cargo.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—August 16.

Advance, schooner, for Newcastle; Korumbah, ketch, for Port Stephens; Kelloe, s., for Catherine Hill Bay; Venture, ketch, for Cape Hawke.

IMPORTS.—August 16.

(A special charge is made for consignees' notices appearing in this column.)

Eurimbla, s., from Rockhampton and ports: 9 boxes gold (9154oz.), a quantity of scrap iron and 136 bags scrap iron, 69 bales wool, 78 bags copper ore, 163 bags bones, 71 bags skins, 82 cases pines, 10 bags oysters, 44 bags potatoes, 25 half cases currants, 136 bags and 128 loose hides, 90 kegs butter, 20 packages wine, 211 bags pumpkins, 53 cases tea, 10 hogsheads and 4 tierces tallow, 292 bags sugar, and sundries; also transhipment cargo.

Cintra, s., from Melbourne: 20 barrels cream tartar, 100 bags sugar, 225 empty hogsheads, 66 lengths tubes, 350 cases vestas, 16 cases blacklead, 14 castings, 20 crates vegetables, 23 cases files, 75 cases coffee essence, 80 bags woolpacks, 595 bars iron, 22 bars steel, 15 packages machines, 20 pieces stone, 19 railway rails, 21 bundles sheetiron, 9 bundles hoopiron, 58 bars iron, steel, and sundries; also cargo for Northern ports.

Whangape, s., from Dunedin and Lyttelton: 185 sacks peas, 100 sacks malt, 38 gunnies onions, 37 cases cheese, 497 sacks oats, 4036 sacks potatoes.

Leura, s., from Queensland ports: 150 cases extract meat, 128 cases compressed beef, 41 cases tongues, 40 cases fruit, 80 boxes butter, 6 turtles, 1 package gold, 1245 bunches bananas, 90 bales wool, 8 bales canvas, 159 casks tallow, 18 bales skins, 5450 bags sugar, 106 bags hides, 138 bags copper ore, 102 bags tin ore, 11 bags horns, 126 hides, 16 casks casings, 35 packages zinc, and a large quantity of through cargo for Southern ports.

Rosedale, s., from Nambucca River and Port Macquarie: 1169 bags maize, 4 bags oysters, 32½ cases eggs, 2 cases fish, 37 cases fruit, 25 cases honey, 20 bales skins, 4 cans cream, 2 casks tallow, 7 coops poultry, 32 hides, 13½ bags hides, 1 box butter, 5 logs cedar, 99 pigs, and sundries.

August 17.

Orizaba, R.M.S., from London, via ports: 303 bars and 353 bundles steel, 450 cases galvanised iron, 10 bottles quicksilver, 305 cases infants' food, 28 cases druggists' goods, 10 cases champagne, 8 boxes type, 162 packages drapery, 106 packages hardware, 22 packages photographic goods, 109 packages provisions, 31 packages machinery, 46 packages printed matter, 14 packages boots and shoes, 100 cases condensed milk, 7 packages indiarubber goods, 16 cases sauce, 47 packages glassware, 86 packages books and periodicals, 12 boiler plates, 32 bundles baskets, 15 bales canvas, 20 boxes paste, 374 steel rails, 139 packages tea, 1035 packages unspecified merchandise and sundries, and transhipment cargo for Northern ports.

EXPORTS.—August 16.

Perthshire, s., for London, via Queensland ports: 130 tons lead bullion.

Frieda Mahn, German barque, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle: 400 tons coal.

Mimiro, s., for London, via Auckland: 22,544 bars lead, 1182 bags ore, 1 case blacklead. For Auckland: 30,330 packages original cargo from New York.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

BRISBANE.—Arrivals: August 16, Derwent, s., from Rockhampton; Yarralla, s., from Rockhampton. Departures: August 16, Australian, s., for Sydney; Maltese Cross, s., for Townsville; Sussex, s., for Durban; Solingen, s., for Hamburg; Kanowna, s., for Sydney; Arawatta, s., for Melbourne.

MARYBOROUGH.—Departure: August 16, Tinana, s., for Bundaberg.

ROCKHAMPTON.—Departure: August 16, Mareeba, s., for Brisbane.

FLATTOP ISLAND.—Departures: August 16, Gabo, s., for Townsville; Dawn, s., for Townsville; Allinga, s., for Cairns.

COOKTOWN.—Arrival: August 16, Wodonga, s., from Brisbane. Departure: August 16, Airlie, s., for Hongkong.

THURSDAY ISLAND.—Departure: August 16, Isel Holme, s., for Java.

THURSDAY ISLAND.—August 16: Passed, Isle Holme, bound to Rangoon.

YAMBA.—Passed: August 16, small steamer, overhanging bows, north; one of China steamers, south.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: August 16, Namoi, s., Brunner, s., Argus, s., Waihora, s., Beagle, s., Timaru, s., Maud Weston, s., Wyoming, s., Australise, s., Barrier, s., Ikbona, s., Tambo, s., Helen Nicoll, s., Jones Brothers, schooner, from Sydney. Departures: August 16, Hands Isle, schooner, for Wellington, with 250 tons coal; Wyoming, s., for the Manning River; Australian, s., for the Clarence River; St. Marr, s., for Melbourne, with 4400 tons coal; Alice, barque, for Callao, with 1840 tons Duckenfield coal; Waihora, s., for Wellington via Sydney, with 500 tons coal; Balmain, s., Duckenfield, s., Maud Weston, s., Timaru, s., Brunner, s., Beagle, s., Namoi, s., Helen Nicoll, s., for Sydney; Creda, s., for Port Louis, with 2742 tons Rhondda coal, 59 horses, 2 stallions.

GABO.—Passed: August 16, Wakatipu, s., at 2.35 p.m., north.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: August 16, Anglian, s., from Fremantle; Taiwan, s., from Hongkong; Coolgardie, s., from Sydney; Argo, ship, from London; Balmoral, four-masted barque, from New York; Saturnus, barque, from Natal, via Adelaide; Oreon, s., from Devonport. Departures: August 16, Anglian, s., and Age, s., for Sydney; Penguin, s., for Launceston; Sarpedon, s., for London; Bannarran, s., and Curio, s., for Newcastle; Polynesien, F.M.S., for Sydney.

ALBANY.—Passed: August 16, R.M.S. Rome, east.

FREMANTLE.—Departure: August 15, Kalgoorlie, s., for Adelaide.

(From the Board at the Telegraph Office.)

TWEED HEADS.—Arrival: August 16, Augusta, s., at 9.35 a.m., from Sydney. Passed: A two-masted steamer at 12.15 p.m., south.

BYRON BAY.—Arrival: August 16, Excelsior, s., at 5.30 a.m., from Sydney.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS.—Arrival: August 16, Oakland, s., at 8.50 a.m., from Sydney. Passed: August 16, Australian, s., at 3.15 p.m., south; a small steamer painted green at 4.35 p.m., north, reports "all well."

CLARENCE RIVER HEADS.—Passed: August 16, a small steamer, overhanging bow, at 10.30 a.m., north. Twelve feet on bar at high water; dangerously narrow at Quarry Point.

WOOLGOOLGA.—Passed: August 16, a British-India steamer with three masts at 3 p.m., north.

SMOKY CAPE.—Passed: August 16, Bancoora, s., at 8.55 a.m., north; one of China Company's steamers at 3.10 p.m., south.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Passed: August 16, Eureka, s., at 11.40 a.m., south.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS.—Arrival: August 16, Kincumber, s., at 6.50 a.m. Departures: Selma, ketch, at 8.5 p.m., for Newcastle; Wootton, s., at 6.55 p.m., Violet Doepel, schooner, at 9.55 p.m., both for Sydney. Eight feet on bar at highwater.

CROWDY HEAD.—Passed: August 16, a large two-masted steamer, red funnel and black top, at 7.30 a.m., Eureka, s., at 2.40 p.m., both south; Macleay, s., at 2.40 p.m., north.

MANNING HEADS.—Arrivals: August 15, Defender, s., at 10 p.m., Electra, s., at 10 p.m. Departures: August 15, Annie, ketch, at 11 p.m. August 15, 6ft. 6in. on crossing morning tide; 7ft. 9in., evening tide.

CAPE HAWKE.—Departures: August 16, Paris, schooner, at 10 a.m., for Newcastle; Willinga, schooner, at 6.15 p.m., for Sydney.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: August 15, Macleay, s., at 9.55 a.m.

PORT STEPHENS.—Passed: August 16, Wootton, s., at 6.40 a.m.; Violet Doepel, schooner, Annie and Ruby, ketches, at 1.50 p.m., all south; Wyoming, s., at 2.55 p.m., north.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrivals: August 16, Palmerston, s., at 6 a.m., Bega, s., at 3.30 p.m., both from Sydney. Departure: August 16, Countess of Errol, schooner, during night, for Sydney.

PORT KEMBLA.—Departure: August 16, Mount Kembla, s., at 10.30 a.m., for Sydney.

KIAMA.—Arrival: August 16, Resolute, s., at 8.30 a.m., from Sydney. Departure: August 16, Resolute, s., at 1 p.m., for Sydney.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: August 16, Peregrine, s., at 9.20 a.m., north; Murray, s., at 10.15 p.m., south; H.M.S. Boomerang at 4.30 p.m., for Sydney.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Departure: August 16, Albatross, ketch, during night, for Sydney.

MORUYA.—Passed: August 16, steamer like Melbourne at 4.50 p.m., north.

BERMAGUI SOUTH.—Arrival: August 16, Eden, s., at 6 a.m., from Wollongong. Departure: August 16, Eden, s., at 8.50 a.m., for Tathra.

EDEN.—Arrival: August 16, Wakatipu, s., at 5.15 p.m., from Launceston. Departure: Wakatipu, s., at 6.50 p.m., for Sydney.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: August 16, steamer yellow funnel, black top, at 6.30 a.m.; R.M.S. Orizaba, at 3.30 p.m.; Wakatipu, s., at 4.15 p.m., all north.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: August 16, a barque, at 4.30 p.m., west.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed outward: August 15, Orizaba, R.M.S., at 11.10 p.m. August 16, Hartfield, ship, at 11.40 a.m.; one of M.M. ships at 2.30 p.m.; H.M.S. Royal Arthur at 3.30 p.m.; Andania, s., at 2.40 p.m.

HOBART.—Arrivals: August 16, Monowai, s., at 5 a.m., from Melbourne; Mokoi, s., at 9.12 a.m., from New Zealand; Natal Queen, barque, at 2.30 p.m., from Adelaide. Departures: Mokoi, s., at 2.45 p.m., for Melbourne; Monowai, s., at 5.5 p.m., for New Zealand.

CAPE JERVIS.—Arrival: August 16, H.M.S. Protector at 12.45 p.m.

LOW HEAD (Tas.).—Departure: August 16, Coogee, s., at 5 p.m., for Melbourne.

BURNIE (Tas.).—Arrival: August 16, Flora, s., at 6 a.m., from Melbourne. Departure: August 16, Flora, s., at 8.30 a.m., for Stanley.

DEVONPORT WEST.—Arrival: August 16, Glauros, s., at 7.30 a.m., from Melbourne.

MACQUARIE HEADS (Tas.).—Departure: August 16, Kawatiri, s., at 11.55 a.m., direct for Melbourne.

PORT DARWIN (S.A.).—Departure: August 16, Thomas Andrews, s., for Wyndham.

FREMANTLE.—Departure: August 15, Kalgoorlie, s., at 9.40 p.m., for South Australia.

LYTTON (Q.).—Arrival: August 15, Australian, s., at 7.30 p.m., from Hongkong. Departure: August 16, Australian, s., at 4.20 a.m., for Southern ports.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.
WELLINGTON, Friday.

AUCKLAND.—Arrival: Gadsby, s., from New York.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.
LONDON, Friday.

Arrivals: Diomed, s., from Sydney; Aldebaran, ship, from Melbourne. Departures: Fortuna, barque, from the Baltic, for Melbourne; Loch Broom, four-masted barque, from London, for Melbourne.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Observatory, Friday.

Average rainfall for 42 years, 50·069.
Average 43 years, January 1 to July 31, 28·207.
Rainfall, January 1 to August 16, 22·704.
Temperature.—Maximum, 73·2; minimum, 48·7.
Humidity.—9 a.m., 69; 3 p.m., 56.

STATE OF BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 30·10; Gascoigne, 30·13; Perth, 30·17; Esperance Bay, 30·17; Eucla, 30·12; Streaky Bay, 29·99; Adelaide, 30·02; Robe, 30·02; Portland, 30·02; Melbourne, 29·97; Wilson's Promontory, 29·97; Gabo Island, 29·98; Cape St. George, 30·09; Sydney, 30·17; Newcastle, 30·22; Port Macquarie, 30·29; Clarence Heads, 30·30; Brisbane, 30·32; Rockhampton, 30·25; Mackay, 30·21; Cooktown, 30·09.

SYNOPSIS AT 9 A.M.

New Caledonia.—Fine, but cloudy to overcast.

Western Australia.—Unsettled on the goldfields and south coast; fine elsewhere.

South Australia.—More or less cloudy to dull, with light showers in places.

Victoria and Straits.—Raining generally.

Tasmania.—Raining throughout.

Queensland.—Cloudy along coast and southern border, also parts of N.W.

Northern Australia.—Generally cloudy.

New Zealand.—Cloudy in central parts, fine in the north and south.

New South Wales for 24 hours ending 9 a.m.—The rain area in south-western districts yesterday morning expanded considerably during the day, and many useful falls resulted, the most favoured area being between the Lachlan and the Murray, where the records at several stations approached or exceeded an inch in quantity. The weather in eastern districts was gloriously fine and warm.

RAINFALL IN 24 HOURS PRECEDING 9 A.M.

New South Wales.—Albury 30 points, Balranald 37, Barmedman 50, Bourke 3, Broken Hill 1, Cobar 13, Cooma 4, Codgellico 37, Deniliquin 22, Eden 1, Euston 34, Gabo Island 3, Germanton 30, Grenfell 10, Hay 48, Hillston 83, Kiandra 153, Maresdee 25, Menindie 3, Moruagarell 50, Mount Hope 22, Murrumburrah 36, Marrandera 73, Nymagee 6, Queanbeyan 48, Urana 29, Wagga 89, Wentworth 81, White Cliffs 3, Wilcannia 29, Wyalong 42, Young 25, Henty 72, Barringun 15, Booligal 60, Bungendore 16, Burrowa 20, Carrathool 102, Condobolin 6, Cootamundra 78, Corowa 26, Buabalong 22, Gundagai 63, Hungerford 13, Ivanhoe 45, Jerilderie 16, Junee 73, Louth 7, Mossgiel 80, Moulamein 38, Pooncarie 84, Tarcutta 88, Temora 75, Tilpa 1, Tocumwal 19, Tumut 30, Ungarie 48, Wanaaring 7, Warren 4, Yass 36, Bungonia 14, Gunbar 104, Tumbarumba 140, Lockhart 98, Tareena 47, Cal Lal 58, Darlington Point 130, Whitton 102, Uxley 47, Maude 40.

6 P.M. RAINFALLS.

Dandaloo 35 points, Mogil 15, Moulamein 70, Nymagee 14, Mudgee 4, Moranganeli 10, Marsdens 10, Taralga 12, Cudgellico 14, Grenfell 14, Brewarrina 23, Gulgong 8, Junee 10, Burrowa 12, Young 12, Wellington 26, Bowral 4, Cowra 13, Wagga 9, Walgett 5, Hillston 15, Goulburn 12, Forbes 7, Deniliquin 21, Coonabarabran 16, Bourke 21, Bathurst 24. Several thunderstorms with these falls.

RIVER REPORTS, 9 A.M.

Albury, 1ft. 4in.; Balranald, 4ft. 3in., falling; Bingara, 1ft. 6in.; Booligal, 6ft.; Bourke, 4ft. 8in.; Brewarrina, 4ft. 11in.; Bushalong, 2ft. 7in.; Euston, 12ft. 10in.; Goodooga, 1ft.; Gundagai, 2ft. 7in.; Hay, 2ft.; Hillston, 4ft. 5in.; Louth, 7ft. 9in., falling; Menindie, 11ft. 6in., rising; Moama, 14ft. 11in.; Mungindi, 4ft. 4in.; Pooncarie, 8ft. 6in.; Tilpa, 8ft. 9in., falling; Tocumwal, 2ft. 10in.; Wagga Wagga, 3ft. 11in.; Wentworth, 6ft. 8in.; Wilcannia, 12ft. 9in., falling; Barwon River at Walgett, 7ft. 10in., falling; Namoi River at Walgett, 5ft. 5in., stationary.

WIND AND WEATHER REPORTS AT 6 P.M.

Tweed Heads, N., light, fine, sea smooth; Byron Bay, N.N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ballina, N., fine, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, N.N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, N.E., fresh, fine, sea moderate; Macleay Heads, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Port Stephens, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Newcastle, N.E., light, hazy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Barranjoey, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, N.N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Wollongong, calm, showery, sea smooth; Kiama, calm, raining, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, N.E., light, showery, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, N., light, raining, sea smooth; Ulladulla, calm, raining, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, N.W., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Moruya, W., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Eden, N.W., light, raining, sea smooth; Green Cape, N.E., light, misty rain, sea moderate; Gabo Island, N.N.E., light, misty rain, sea smooth.

FORECASTS AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—S. winds in south-western districts displacing northerlies in eastern during the day; some severe squalls; fine west of the Darling, but unsettled, stormy, and showery over other parts of the State, including Sydney.—H. C. Russell.

South Australia.—Cloudy and unsettled with variable rain, S. and S.E. winds; sea smooth.—C. Todd.

Victoria.—Cloudy with further rain, more especially over the eastern half of the State and near the coast; light S. and S.E. winds; sea slight to moderate.—P. Baracchi.

Western Australia.—Unsettled weather will shortly be experienced in the west and south-west coastal districts, and will gradually spread eastwards; meanwhile it is fine inland.—W. E. Cooke.

FORECASTS FOR THREE DAYS, BY MR. C. L. WRAGGE.

New South Wales.—Occasionally fair or fine, but nevertheless very unsettled generally. Rain is likely in various parts, especially in the south in connection with the electric disturbance; winds shifting between N.N.W., S.W., and S.

Western Australia.—Mostly fine in far north; occasional capricious rains in the southern half, but becoming more settled there; variables; sea moderate.

Northern Territory.—Cloudy, unsettled, capricious under monsoonal influence; variables.

South Australia.—Wet, very unsettled; electric disturbance, local fogs; variables in occasional squalls, but thereafter finer; sea moderate.

Queensland.—Conditions again unsettled, notwithstanding times of fine weather, capricious rains, chiefly in connection with electric disturbance, likely in various parts; winds shifting between S.E., N.E., and N.W.; sea moderate.

Victoria.—Very unsettled, squally, and wet; south-westerlies to south-easterlies; areas of roughish sea; fogs later, then finer; the north-western peninsula of the disturbance "Hadid" operates.

Tasmania.—Rain and gloomy skies, local squalls, a tendency to thunder; fogs; westerlies, shifting through south towards east; areas of roughish sea under edge of "Hadid."

New Zealand.—Showery and unsettled. "Hadid" will affect southern parts later.

New Caledonia.—Fine, save intervening showers; easterlies.

Note.—New Antarctic disturbance, named "Ijon," is 1200 miles south-west from Leeuwin.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR AUGUST 17.

Sun rises at 6.52, sets at 5.26; Moon, 7.55 a.m., 8.8 p.m.; Mercury, 6.6 a.m., 4.26 p.m.; Venus, 7.58 a.m., 7.40 p.m.; Mars, 9.6 a.m., 9.56 p.m.; Jupiter, 1.19 p.m., 3.45 a.m.; Saturn, 1.51 p.m., 4.13 a.m.

New moon, August 14; full moon, August 30.

High water at Fort Denison, 9.36 a.m., 10.15 p.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia, Victoria, Queensland } Overland, 8.30 p.m.
Auckland, &c., N.Z.—Mimiro, 8 a.m.
Hobart (via Eden).—Tambo, 11 a.m.
Brisbane.—Peregrine, 11 a.m.
Nambucca River.—Nambucca, noon.
Wellington, &c., N.Z. (direct).—Waihora, 3 p.m.
Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Chili, and Rio Janeiro, from Wellington.—Pakeha, 3 p.m.
Richmond River.—St. George, 3 p.m.
Clarence River.—Kallatina, 8 p.m.
Macleay River.—Burrawong, 9 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and West Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Kawatiri, 9.30 p.m.
*Western Australia, via Adelaide.—Coolgardie, 9.30 p.m.
*Correspondence intended for transmission by this vessel must be specially endorsed by the name of the ship.
Singapore and Java, via Melbourne.—Argus, 9.30 p.m.

MONDAY.

Eden.—Eden, 11 a.m.
Noumea.—Pacifique, noon.
Manning River.—Electra, 5 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Coogee, 5.30 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Richmond River.—Tomki, 3 p.m.
United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius.—Overland to Adelaide and thence per R.M.S. Ortona, 4.30 p.m.
R.M.S. Ortona (letters addressed to persons on board).—Overland to Adelaide, 4.30 p.m.
Dunedin, &c., N.Z., and Hobart, via Melbourne.—Moeata, 5.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide.—R.M.S. Ortona, 5.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Flora, 7 p.m.
Clarence River.—Otway, 8 p.m.
Byron Bay, Coff's Harbour, and Woolgoolga.—Excelsior, 9 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Eden.—Bega, 11 a.m.
Auckland, &c., N.Z.—Waikare, 11 a.m.
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The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 1901.

In a despatch from Rear-Admiral Beaumont, laid upon the table of the House of Representatives yesterday, the question of a general naval scheme of defence for the Commonwealth is dealt with.

Rear-Admiral Beaumont states that there should be maintained on the Australian station a squadron of at least six cruisers in commission, two of them first-class cruisers and others second-class cruisers, besides two second-class cruisers in reserve.

It is further recommended in the despatch that the headquarters of the squadron ought to remain in Sydney.

Lieutenant-Colonel Gorringe has inflicted severe losses near Steynsburg on the forces led by Commandants Kruitzinger, Pyper, Erasmus, and Cachet, the two latter being mortally wounded.

Mr. Chamberlain states that there is no intention of framing a protection tariff in the new colonies against foreign goods.

Mr. Balfour declares that not a man or a horse will be withdrawn from South Africa unless the military situation justifies the step.

The war, he maintained, had been unduly prolonged, even from the Boer standpoint.

Lieutenant-General N. G. Lyttelton's presence in South Africa is merely a precaution in the event of Lord Kitchener falling ill. If Lord Kitchener continues in good health he will remain in command until the Boer resistance has been suppressed.

The doctor and six nurses employed by a Swiss committee to tend the women folk in the refugee camps have not been allowed to leave Southampton for South Africa.

Lord Roberts authorised the departure last March, but he has now withdrawn the authorisation on the ground that all measures necessary for the health of the refugees had now been taken.

The Foreign Office, asked to intervene, has declined to interfere with the War Office's decision on the matter.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt considers that Lord Kitchener's proclamation is unwarranted, and calculated to irritate.

Mr. Chamberlain, in reply, showed that in issuing the proclamation the authorities had followed the precedents set in the American Civil War, and in the recent troubles between the United States and the Filipinos.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman has signified his approval of a peace manifesto signed by 500 ministers of the free churches, favouring an amnesty and the granting of autonomy, together with compensation for losses of property.

The native chiefs of Natal and Zululand presented addresses to the Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York at Pietermaritzburg.

The Royal yacht Ophir has left Durban for Simonstown.

The firm of Pearks, at Folkestone, has been fined £20 and costs for selling butter with an excess of water, and £50 and costs for selling butter containing 24 4-5 grains of boracic acid per lb.

A satisfactory interchange of views has taken place between Great Britain and France regarding Morocco.

The reduction of the British garrison at Shanghai, and especially the withdrawal of the cavalry, leaving the German commander the senior officer, is bitterly resented by the British community.

A movement has been started to oust Mr. Shaffer from the position of president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel, and Tin Workers in the United States.

Towards the Methodist Century Million Guinea Fund £930,000 has been promised. The total amount received is £600,000.

The Belgian bishops have decided to admit the migrating members of the French religious orders only on condition that they make no collections and open neither schools nor chapels.

The Very Rev. Monsignor Kelly has been consecrated at the Vatican as Coadjutor Archbishop of Sydney.

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In consequence of the diplomatic rupture between Colombia and Venezuela H.M.S. Icarus has been despatched to Panama.

The House of Commons has unanimously found the "Globe" newspaper guilty of a gross breach of the privileges of the House, and has summoned the editor and publisher to the Bar for insinuating that the Nationalists practised corruption in connection with private bill legislation.

Mr. A. J. Balfour suggested that a select committee in 1902 should report upon the best method of preserving the dignity of the House in such cases.

The Factory Bill has been passed by the House of Lords. The Government accepted the amendment of the House of Commons providing for a half-holiday in the textile mills.

Mr. Chamberlain stated in the House of Commons that it is not intended to appoint a Royal Commission to inquire into the government of Malta.

The Discovery is at Funchal, Madeira. Captain Scott declares that she is a splendid sea boat. Her sounding gear has been successfully tested.

Gatling has invented a motor plough. He claims that it will enable a man to plough 30 acres a day. A company to exploit the invention has been formed at St. Louis.

The State Premier yesterday, in reply to a deputation which asked for a site for a mission hall on the Rocks resumed area at a nominal rental and on a long lease, said he was in favour of a portion of land being set aside for the purpose.

At many of the shearing sheds the unionists have refused to work under the Pastoralists' Union agreement. Some of the boards are being filled with non-unionists.

In an official report regarding the Bruton Stock Inoculating Station, Casino, it is stated that the experiments made have considerably enhanced the value of protective inoculation for stock.

Efforts are being made to effect an amicable arrangement of points in dispute regarding the conditions of sale at the Homebush yards.

The Premier yesterday promised to put £1000 on the Estimates for the construction of a fire brigade station at Randwick, leaving the local council to find the remainder of the money.

Before the Royal Commission on the Factories and Shops Act in Melbourne on Thursday evidence was given by a boot manufacturer that the wages board system had had a most disastrous effect on the industrial community.

It was stated that collusion between employer and employed as to the payment of wages was inevitable, and slow workers had to be discharged.

Yesterday a public school, erected by private enterprise, was opened at Marsfield.

At the conference of the Dairy Farmers' Union yesterday a motion was carried recommending the grading of cream at the creameries and butter factories, rather than at grading depots.

The conference also agreed to a motion urging the Government to bring in legislation dealing with the colouring of margarine.

In regard to the loss of the drogher Alexander Berry on July 1, the Court of Marine inquiry yesterday found that the master of the vessel showed good seamanship, and was ably assisted by his engineer and crew. The Court also found that it was not prepared to blame the master of the Protector for the loss of that vessel on the same day.

In regard to the stranding of the steamer Vision at Camden Haven on June 8, the Court of Marine Inquiry yesterday called upon the master, Peter Nelson, to show cause on August 21 why his certificate should not be suspended or cancelled.

Useful rains have fallen over nearly the whole of the State, and have ensured good seasons in many districts that otherwise would have suffered severely.

Yesterday the general purposes committee of the City Council decided to recommend Mr. T. G. Ellery, of Adelaide, South Australia, for the position of Town Clerk.

Mr. Gow, the New Zealand Trade Commissioner, is about to come to Sydney, prior to making a tour of the world in the interests of the New Zealand produce trade.

In connection with the betting prosecutions at the Central Police Court yesterday, one defendant was fined £50, with the alternative of six months' imprisonment, and another defendant £25, or three months' imprisonment. Other cases were remanded, pending a Supreme Court decision.

A telegram from Wanaaring states that Elsinora woolshed was set on fire on Thursday evening.

Yesterday there were few transactions in the Stock and Share Market, which was fairly steady.

In the Mining market Western Australian companies were firmer, although this did not lead to a large amount of business. Generally the market was quiet.

Business in the Import market continued on restricted lines. Merchants are waiting for the federal tariff before operating extensively.

Messrs. W. Weddell and Co. anticipate that last season's high prices for butter will be maintained, and possibly will be augmented.

The last half-yearly report of the Farmers' Co-operative Company, Limited, showed that there had been an increase in sales of £17,380, and that the shipments of butter had increased 300 per cent. as compared with the best years of the old co-operative company.

THE FIRST KING OF ALL ENGLAND.

At the meeting of the University Senate on Monday a letter was received from the Mayor of Winchester, intimating that the celebration of the millenary of Alfred the Great had been postponed until September. Alfred died at Winchester on October 28, 901. For a couple of years just past there has been a movement for the due observation of so remarkable an epoch in a nation's history as the accomplishment of a thousand years from the date of the foundation of the kingdom of all England. It is intended to set apart for public use for ever an area of 35 acres at Winchester, including a portion of the site of the once famous Hyde Abbey, where Alfred, his wife, and the first King Edward were buried. In addition, Mr. Hamo Thorneycroft is engaged in the final touches upon a heroic statue of the great King, which will stand upon a granite monolith. It would appear that some unavoidable delay in this work was the cause why the ceremonies arranged to be held in July were deferred till September. There is something striking at the first glance in a communication between perhaps the oldest of the cities of England, and for long the capital of the Kingdom, with one of the youngest cities of the British people. But that is, after all, superficial; we are dealing not with Alfred's contemporaries, but with our own. What is Alfred's claim on us that thus at the antipodes of Winchester we should be expected to share in the privilege of doing honour to his memory? That is a question the reply to which involves us in some of the oldest bearings of our national history, and in some of the newest. That new birth of national spirit which is called Imperialism makes it easy to trace the claim of Alfred to veneration as one of the main founders of that world-empire which bears the British name. Not, to be sure, that Alfred owes his fame to Mr. Kipling, Mr. Henley, or Mr. de Thierry, or the other high-priests of the literary side of the newest political cultus. That would be mere inversion. It is because Alfred established the kingdom of the Saxons against the Danes, and gave England peace, and restored the religion, the learning, and the laws of his own Wessex Kingdom, and extended those blessings over nearly all of what is now and has been since his day England, that the subsequent stages of our history are what we know them. Under Alfred Saxondom in England fought for its very life. From his brother Athelred he inherited the terror of the Vikings; all his reign up to the last few serene years he was in arms against the hosts of the Danes. In one year his people fought eight great battles with the invaders. At one time it seemed the contest was over, and the Danes were to follow the Romans as the conquerors of the Saxons. Alfred was a fugitive, his warriors were dead or scattered, his kingdom was harried by a powerful foe. From his marshes Alfred wrought the salvation of his people. He reconquered his own kingdom, he took London, he pursued the enemy until he left them by a treaty in East Anglia. Then there was peace for the blood-drenched English. And then the sick king, prematurely old, turned with the faith and the courage of youth to build up again the fabric of an English civilisation. That many of the claims made for him are now quietly put aside as the secretions of ages and part of the process of myth-making does not detract from his greatness. Winchester is but the shadow of what it was, and what he and his successors designed it to be; his Saxon line perished and the Normans imposed a new rule upon England. But Alfred's work was of the kind that lasts. To imagine an England subject to Danish invading hosts, one Viking fleet following another to complete the ruin of each little kingdom, is to recognise that the quarter century of Alfred's rule made possible all that has followed it. And the English people, who are not prone to hero-worship, have given his memory their fixed admiration.

All that is taught in our schools, and forgotten. But it is the answer to the question with which we began, as to what Alfred had to do with us that we should care about the millenary celebrations at Winchester. They will be picturesque and worthy of an occasion which is rare in the history of nations. Hungary celebrated her thousand years not long since; but Hungary has undergone in that period almost every convulsion—invasion by the Mongols, partition, civil and religious wars, and is now joined with the Austrian Empire. England from Alfred's time has also had her epochs of change, but she has ascended from one height of empire to another. The dominion to which Alfred succeeded, a little province of the South of England, has grown to that nobler estate beyond even Milton's dream of "this Britannic realm, with all her daughter-lands about her." The chief value of this millenary should be the bringing out again in all its distinctness and strength of the identity of English civilisation. The tradition of Alfred, like that of Shakespeare, unites the race. The quickening of the sense of kinship due to recent events in South Africa may have caused those engaged in the Alfred millenary celebrations to remember that the English beyond the seas are English still. It is eminently worthy of a historic people to honour and perpetuate the memory of their greatest men. Such honours serve a fine purpose in displaying the voluntary affection of freemen, and of inciting new generations to emulate those ancient examples of patriotism and duty to which we owe so much of our freedom and greatness. Notwithstanding the denunciation of modern days as given over to materialism and the worship of success measured by cash, the great and saving qualities in men are to be evoked. We have just been celebrating with what is for us an unexampled lustre the achievement of Australian union, the condition precedent, as we all hope, of wise and strong government and popular advancement in the centuries to come. That is right for us; and it is also right to give its due regard to an occasion such as that of next month in the ancient capital of the English, where they will mark an event that has determined for a thousand past years and for all our future the destiny of that Imperial race to which we, too, belong. We, too, can say, with Wordsworth—

> In our halls is hung
> Armoury of the invincible knights of old,
> In everything we are sprung
> Of earth's first blood, have titles manifold.

THE PRONUNCIATION OF ENGLISH.

Periodically the attention of English-speaking peoples is invited to the pronunciation of their common language. Sometimes complaint comes from professors of the formal school, who lament the decadence of the present generation in the matter of the nice observance of the old rules of quantity. They will tell us that this or that word is derived from the Latin, or the Greek, as the case may be, and that common usage nowadays gives a long vowel instead of a short, or an accent in the wrong place. Of course the answer is that we are speaking English, not Greek or Latin. Just as nice customs curtsey to great kings, so do quantity and accent and everything else yield to the genius of the English language. Such and such a word in a foreign vocabulary—ancient or modern—strikes our fancy as being expressive. We forthwith annex it. It is no longer Greek or Latin or French or German. It is English, and who may forbid us from doing what we like with our own? Again, we are not to be held responsible for foreign eccentricities in the pronunciation of their own words. There is the French capital, for instance, which, as anybody can see, ought to be pronounced as it is spelled, but the French choose to pronounce it otherwise. They insist upon calling London by a name which will always appear strange to English-speaking folk, and instead of calling our own State "New South Wales" they persist in referring to "Nouvelle-Galles." All this difference of practice will disappear as English-speaking peoples spread over the earth, with its necessary result in the way of spreading the knowledge of the English language. One need not be a prophet, or the son of a prophet, to foresee the time when the English language, known everywhere on account of its commercial usefulness, will become also the language of society and diplomacy.

Presuming that this will be the case, the question becomes the more pressing—Who is to regulate the pronunciation of the language? We look in vain to the mother-country for guidance on this point. The Englishman of the north will find difficulty in understanding his fellow-countryman from Devon, say; and there is no Court to which appeal can be made. In Ireland the inquiring tourist will be informed that if you want to hear English spoken as it ought to be spoken, you must go to Dublin. In Scotland there are several cities in each of which, according to local enthusiasts, the best English in the world is spoken. What is good English in one centre is bad in another, and in London itself, the capital of the Empire, one may hear more samples of strange pronunciations of English than in any other part of the world. The foreign population imports its own dialects and its own accents, but, besides this, there is the fact that the class from whom one might expect to hear English properly spoken takes delight in clipping it of a consonant or a vowel here and there. There may be a doubt as to where the best English is to be heard, but there is little doubt that about the worst English that is to be heard in the world is available in all quarters of society in the British metropolis.

If consideration were to be had only of the numbers of people who speak English, the rule might reasonably be conceded to the inhabitants of the United States. They number about double the population of the United Kingdom, and they have a traditional interest—as we in Australia have—in the glories of English literature. It is maintained on their behalf that in these days of democracy the majority should rule, and that the United States should be the guardian of what, to their thinking, ought to be called the American language. But here we have the old difficulties intensified. The United States speaks the English language, or what our American cousins consider to be the English language. But the population of the States is hopelessly mixed. It contains men of all races and languages. At the best its English is no better than the English of London, say; at its worst it is incomprehensible to an English-speaking person. The American in the South is hardly to be understood by his fellow-citizen from the North or the West, and the numerous words and expressions introduced into the language by foreigners help to make the mother tongue more than ever a mosaic. It would almost appear as if we English-speaking races had been at a feast of languages, and had annexed the most attractive of the viands. Fortunately we can absorb all that is good that comes in our way. The difficulty remains as to the pronunciation of the words in common use. There are variations in the United Kingdom, as we have seen, and in the United States. All of us know that there are differences in Australia. We are unfortunately permitting the encouragement here of pronunciations which are as barbarous as they are unpleasing. "Tuesday," for instance, is no longer a day of the week; "Chewsday" has taken its place. Nobody now suffers from a "jaw-ache"—he has "jorake." All this apart from the curious perversion which leads people to speak about "aige" instead of "age," or "to-dye" instead of "to-day," which gives us "rile-ways" for "railways" or "or-reicht" for "all right." In other circles we have the affectation of lengthening out vowels; as "naice" instead of "nice," or "ya-as" as a variant on the Cockney "yuss" or the English "yes." Much might be done by teachers in the way of correcting the tendency of children to pronounce words badly. With regard to children of a larger growth the case is perhaps hopeless, and all that can be done is to stick to the right pronunciation, even at the risk of being accused of pedantry. And thus we come round to the old question: what is the right pronunciation? A safe guide is not the "use" of Boston or Edinburgh or Dublin, but the pronunciation sanctioned by custom. In Queen Anne's time you would ask for a dish of "tay," not for a cup of "tea," and in the early Victorian days you would be "obleeged," not "obliged," if the refreshment were handed to you. But it would be pedantry to pronounce these words thus now, just as it would have been wrong to pronounce them otherwise then. With common sense and an ordinary regard for the spelling and derivation of words there need be little difficulty about their pronunciation. And there is always this comfortable rule—if you are not quite sure how to pronounce a word, use another one.

TRAM EXTENSION.

At the trial-trip on the Miller's Point tram extension yesterday the Minister for Works had something interesting to say about recent and projected extensions generally. This particular line carries on the George-street tram to Miller's Point, whence it returns by double rail, and it certainly makes access to that distant portion of the city easier to those having business there. Of course, the section can hardly be expected to pay at the rate of the main George-street line, on which, as Mr. O'Sullivan told his hearers, 93 million fares were collected last year. That is a great return, and greater by 24 million fares than that of the previous year. When the two other single lines to the Railway Station are open the rush of traffic by this line will abate somewhat, but with the possibilities of increase of population before us it would be idle to think that even all this provision will do away with the necessity for the city railway. The most interesting portion of the Minister's remarks referred to the increased tram facilities for reaching and traversing distant and attractive districts round Sydney. The lines to La Perouse and Long Bay, for instance, with the line which is about to connect those two points, will open up the whole area between Botany and Coogee, and enable Sydney citizens to skirt the open Pacific and complete a round journey of signal picturesqueness. The proposed line to Manly via the Spit, and the extension from Rose Bay to the Lighthouse, will do good work on both sides of the harbour, and enable even the poorest to avail themselves to the full of the remarkable opportunities for out-door enjoyment which the neighbourhood of their city provides. So long as sufficient judgment is exercised, too, the lines will be important factors in opening up new districts for settlement, and distributing the population more widely and evenly, with the city as an easily accessible centre.

THE VITAL STATISTICS.

The vital statistics of the metropolis for last month, as shown in the Government Statistician's report, do not furnish pleasant reading. This indeed is no more than was to be expected. July was an extremely cold month, its mean temperature wanting only half a degree to make it the coldest July of the past ten years; and some days in it will be remembered as amongst the coldest we have had since observations were taken. There were 574 deaths during the month—or 97 more than the quinquennial average for July—and of these pneumonia carried off 73 and bronchitis 30. It is some comfort to learn that the infant mortality was not above the average, the advance being due altogether to the increased number of deaths amongst persons aged five and upwards. What is called—perhaps unscientifically—the influenza epidemic had its share in the result. People contracted colds which they neglected; these developed into influenza, which is not in itself a thing to be disregarded; and pneumonia in many cases supervened. We notice with regret that there is a considerable increase so far this year in the mortality from diphtheria as compared with the returns for 1899 and 1900. It was hoped that the ravages of this scourge were definitely checked when the anti-toxin treatment was made available. So they seemed to be for a time, but now with 45 deaths so far this year it looks as if we were going back to the days when the mortality rate was from 70 to 80 per annum. Phthisis, too, and cancer still claim many victims. It must be remembered, however, that the returns include the deaths in the metropolitan hospitals of persons who came from all parts of the State for treatment; and the mortality therefore is not to be laid wholly to the account of the metropolis.

"Our Eastern Neighbours."—This is the subject of a congenial theme introduced by Mr. A. B. Paterson into our columns to-day. Mr. Paterson is on a journey to the "gorgeous East," undertaken as the Special Commissioner for the "S. M. Herald," and he mentions certain matters which should stimulate the interest of Australians in that part of the globe. One is that "if our dashing Australian soldiers are ever to be called on to fight at all it will be to fight these Eastern peoples." Mr. Paterson indicates the Northern Territory as the probable scene of the conflict. It is "on those great sweltering, steaming, fever-laden plains, where the muddy rivers struggle slowly to the sea, the Orientals are in their glory."

Life in London.—Mr. Lucy's letter, published to-day, refers chiefly to demonstrations and counter demonstrations which, early in July, had shaken the Liberal Opposition to its foundations. Mr. Lucy mentions that it had been demonstrated that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman stood without a rival in the thankless post of leader of the Opposition. Reference is made to Mr. Gladstone's personal habits of order and regularity and to the method that was characteristic of him in regard to the delivery of speeches. Other subjects are also mentioned.

Business in Parliament.—The Premier states that he is satisfied with the disposition of the Legislative Assembly so far as the work of Parliament is concerned. The Government has introduced a number of measures, and there will now be plenty of work for members to do. Tuesday next will be devoted to private members' business. On Wednesday the debate upon the second reading of the Women's Suffrage Bill will be continued. It is anticipated that the discussion will close early, and that the second reading of the Industrial Arbitration Bill will be taken. This measure will also be discussed on Thursday.

The King's Cyphers.—The Premier is in receipt of a communication intimating that the cypher which his Majesty the King has selected is to be Royal and Imperial cyphers; and it is also requested that the [illegible] every other pattern now in use. The monogram, which is of an artistic pattern, is [illegible].

Redistribution of Seats.—In connection with the notice of motion given by the Premier in the Legislative Assembly for the adoption of the report of the Electoral Districts Commission, under which the State of New South Wales is divided into 125 electoral districts, for the purposes of the Parliamentary Electorates Act of 1893, Mr. See says that the Government propose to move the adoption of the report so as in order to comply with the law, but the probability is that the matter will go no further. If a reduction of the members of the Legislative Assembly is agreed upon, a further redistribution of electorates will be necessary.

Regarding the Railway Service.—The Railway Commissioners have this time supplied a board of officers to institute an inquiry with a view to the amendment of the existing classification in connection with the salaried staff. The inquiry will necessarily take some time, but it is anticipated that the whole matter will be settled by the close of the year.

A Land Question.—An important point arising out of the construction of the 47th section of the Land Act of 1889 has been under the consideration of the Full Court for the past few days. It appeared that a married woman named Honora Luke bought out of her separate estate a conditional purchase which was sold in connection with her husband's bankruptcy. She afterwards applied to the Lands Department to have her name registered as the transferee of the land, but this being refused she applied to the Court for a mandamus directing the Minister to comply with her application. It was conceded during the argument that prior to the Land Act of 1889 applicant could have held a good title to the selection, and the question was whether the 47th section of that Act so altered the law as to make it impossible that she could do so. Mr. Justice Stephen was of opinion that it did; but Mr. Justice Simpson and Mr. Justice Cohen took the opposite view, and it was ordered that the mandamus should issue. All the members of the Bench were, however, unanimous in their opinions as to the obscure manner in which the 47th section was framed.

Railway Refreshment Rooms.—The existing leases for the railway refreshment rooms terminate at the end of the present year, and the Railway Commissioners are now inviting tenders for a further period. The Commissioners have had under consideration for some time the question of conducting the business themselves, but they have so many other important matters to attend to that they will probably not make the necessary alteration. They have decided to make a number of alterations in connection with the tariff paid for refreshment, and they have also decided that a reduction shall be made in the prices paid for meals. The existing rate is 2s 6d for each meal; under the new tariff the charge will be 2s for breakfast, 2s for luncheon, and 2s 6d for dinner. It is not expected that the quality of the meals will be affected, but a reduction in the rental of the refreshment rooms will very possibly have to be made. There are about 26 refreshment rooms on the railways, and the rental from them is over £6000 per annum.

Miller's Point Tram Service.—In addition to the preliminary trial over the tram line to Miller's Point made by the tramway authorities on Thursday, an inspection was made yesterday by the Minister for Works, who was accompanied by Mr. Deane (Engineer-in-Chief), Mr. Fischer (engineer, tramway construction), Mr. Brain (electrical engineer), Mr. Kneeshaw (Traffic Superintendent), Mr. Daley, M.L.A., and a number of departmental officers. The line was in every way satisfactory. The line will be opened for public traffic on Monday next. The fare will be one penny from the railway station to the "Point." The tramway officers complain of an evil which appears to be inseparable from the opening of new tramway lines. Numbers of children follow the trial trips, and although very little risk is run when only one car is on the line, the same practice, after the line has been opened, will be likely to be fraught with serious consequences.

The Town Clerkship.—A meeting of the general purposes committee of the City Council was held yesterday afternoon to consider the question of the appointment of a town clerk. The City Council had received 63 applications for the position, of which 37 were from Great Britain and 26 from Australia. At a previous meeting the numbers had been reduced to six, and of these [illegible] were dealt with. All the aldermen present, excepting Aldermen Smith and Kelly, were present, and the meeting was thrown open to the press. Some discussion arose as to the order of procedure, and ultimately it was decided on the suggestion of the Mayor (Alderman Sir James Graham) that the committee should proceed to deal with the names of the candidates—four of whom were left in, and that the final decision of the committee should be arrived at by an open vote. The committee appointed scrutineers and the ballots were taken, until only two names were left in, and in the open voting Mr. T. G. Ellery, of Adelaide, was chosen as the one to be recommended for the position. [illegible] recommendation to the council for the appointment. The meeting then closed.

Mission Hall for Newtown.—The Newtown branch of the Sydney City Mission has decided to erect a large hall in connection with their work in this district. Land has been secured at the corner of Harold and Gowrie streets. Plans have been prepared, and the work of erecting the hall will be proceeded with shortly. On Saturday next, August 24, the foundation-stone of the building will be laid by his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Frederick Darley. It is intended to make the function an impressive one. A number of distinguished visitors have signified their intention of being present. In addition to the ceremony of laying the chief corner stone, four memorial stones will also be laid by the following persons:—The Mayoress of Erskineville (Mrs. Gaius Clarke), Mrs. John Eve, Miss Ellen Foster, and Mr. T. P. Reeve.

Death of Miss E. C. Oliver.—We are sorry to have to announce the death of Miss Edith Constance Oliver, the third surviving daughter of Mr. Alexander Oliver, of Mosman, Neutral Bay, which took place at Wahroonga, where she was at school, early yesterday morning from an acute attack of [illegible]. Mr. Oliver was at Eden at the time of his daughter's death, and [illegible] making inquiries in connection with the federal capital. The funeral will take place on Monday. The first part of the burial service will be read at Christ Church, George-street, at 9.30 a.m., after which the interment will take place at St. Thomas' Cemetery, North Sydney.

A Boy Drowned.—A boy named John Craft, aged 10, described as a State child, was drowned last evening in the Leichhardt canal. It is stated that the boy was playing near the edge of the canal with some companions when he fell into the water. The other children at once gave the alarm, but before assistance could be summoned the boy sank. The water police were then informed, and after dragging for some hours they recovered the body. The Coroner has been notified.

The fifth lecture of the winter course under the auspices of the Sydney Ladies' Sanitary Association will be delivered by Dr. H. C. Taylor Young on Monday afternoon at the Town Hall. The subject will be "Aches."

The list of successful candidates in the final law examination published on Thursday should have included the name of T. Michell.

At a meeting of the Vaucluse Borough Council it was resolved on the motion of Alderman Norris, seconded by Alderman Johnston,—"That application be made to his Excellency the Governor for permission to borrow the sum of £2000 for permanent improvements within the borough."

We are requested to state that the Argentine training ship Presidente Sarmiento, lying at Farm Cove, will be open for inspection from 2 to 5 p.m. to-day. The vessel will probably leave Sydney on Monday.

The Boys' Brigade annual ball is advertised to take place at the Paddington Town Hall on Thursday evening next, and [illegible]

Excellency Sir Frederick Darley, G.C.M.G. (Lieutenant Governor) and Miss Darley, the Mayor and Mayoress (Sir James and Lady Graham), and Sir Matthew and Lady Harris.

The weekly meeting of the Sydney Literary and Debating Club was held at Queen's Hall on Thursday evening last. There was a fair attendance. Mr. Vider moved,—"That the metropolitan police are not justified in continually opposing licenses for new hotels." Messrs. M. J. Wilson, Hodgson, Levey, Steele, Cridland, O'Brien, Bartlett, and W. B. Wilson took part in the discussion. The motion was lost.

At the fortnightly meeting of the committee of the Scandinavian fete held yesterday good progress was reported. It was mentioned that the fete would be unique, not only on account of the distinct Scandinavian features introduced, but because it would be the first function ever held here under the patronage of her Majesty the Queen of England, and the Crown Princess of Denmark, the Countess of Hopetoun, the Lieutenant-Governor, and other distinguished personages being also patrons. The fete will be opened on September 25 at the Town Hall by his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor. An executive committee, consisting of a number of the ladies and gentlemen interested in the movement has been formed with the view of making the final arrangements in connection with the fete.

The Darlington Single Tax League will celebrate "Henry George Day," September 2, by holding a commemoration dinner and a public meeting at Quong Tart's Elite Hall, Queen Victoria Markets.

We are requested to direct attention to an advertisement appearing elsewhere in reference to Clifton Gardens as a pleasure resort.

A concert under the auspices of St. Clement's, Mosman, is announced to be held at the Parish Hall on Tuesday evening next.

A charity sermon, in aid of the funds of the St. Vincent de Paul Society's local conference, will be preached by the Rev. Father Ryan, S.J., to-morrow at St. Mary's, Ridge-street, North Sydney.

A memorial service for the late Mr. Robert Malcolm, one of the victims of the fire at the Palace Emporium, is to be held to-morrow at the Baptist Tabernacle, Burton-street.

The tramway time-table in connection with the opening of the Miller's Point extension is published in to-day's issue.

On Thursday evening a social and dance was held at the Paddington Town Hall for the purpose of raising funds in aid of the parish poor of St. Mary's, Waverley.

A notification appears in the "Government Gazette" to the effect that his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has approved of the promotion of Senior-sergeant John Chiplin to the rank of acting Sub-inspector of Police from the date of his retirement from the police force.

The series of lectures given at the Unitarian Church every evening this week by Mr. A. B. Worthington, of Melbourne, upon subjects of a scientific and religious character, was brought to a conclusion last evening. Mr. Worthington will conduct the services at the Unitarian Church both morning and evening to-morrow.

The summer number of the "Pall Mall Magazine" contains a charming story, "The Sisters," by "Zack," a lady whose work is becoming more and more welcome. M. Georges Du Dubor contributes an article on "Napoleon at Play: His Married Life at Malmaison," in which he presents the favourable view of Josephine. Mr. Wayland Smith, jun., gives in "Over a Hundred Miles an Hour" the story of the mono-rail; and an anonymous correspondent deals with the game of "Bridge," which commands so many votaries just now. These are only some of the features of a number which is even more than usually interesting. It goes without saying that the illustrations are numerous and excellent.

An official notification appears in the "Government Gazette" to the effect that Mr. Rene Vos has returned from Europe, and has resumed his duties as Vice-Consul for Belgium at Sydney.

The fourth lecture of the Winter Course in connection with the Y.M.C.A. will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Roseby on Monday evening next. The subject will be "Star Depths," illustrated by lantern views.

We receive the summer number of the "Illustrated London News." This consists of a new story by Max Pemberton, entitled "Barbara of Ollerton." The story itself would compel attention even if the art of Mr. A. Forestier had not been called into requisition; but story and pictures combined make a notable number. The presentation plate which accompanies it, "Good-bye, Sweetheart," contains excellent work.

A concert in aid of the funds of the Australian Protestant Defence Association will be held in the Centenary Hall on Thursday evening next.

The members of the Police Band will play in the rotunda, Outer Domain, to-morrow, at 3 p.m., in aid of the funds of the St. John Ambulance Association.

The first meeting in connection with the eleventh annual Christian conference at Petersham will be held to-night at 7.30, when a preparatory prayer meeting will be held in the school-hall, Railway-street. The sessions of the conference will last from Monday to Thursday next.

A carter named James Place, who was injured on Thursday afternoon owing to the wheels of a trolly loaded with stone passing over his body on the New South Head-road, died in Sydney Hospital yesterday. The City Coroner will hold an inquiry in respect to the fatality this morning.

NEW ZEALAND FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

OVER HALF A MILLION SURPLUS.

FACILITIES FOR EXPORTERS OF PRODUCE.

INTER-STATE CABLE RATES.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

Mr. Seddon delivered his financial statement in the House of Representatives this evening. He said that results for the past year showed a surplus of £532,564, of which half a million would be transferred to the Public Works account. The estimates for the current year show a revenue of £5,896,000, and an expenditure of £5,765,814, leaving with the balance forward a surplus of £164,750, subject to deduction for supplementary estimates. No increase of taxation is suggested. It is proposed to borrow a million for public works, and to establish a State coal mine. It is also proposed to provide cold storage accommodation for South Africa, and to subsidise steamers for South African ports. A brief reference was made to federation. Mr. Seddon assured the House that a cordial and friendly feeling existed with the Commonwealth, and that there was no foundation for the fear of the farmers that they will be penalised in sending their produce to Australia. The expenditure on proposed public works is £1,950,000. The net public debt at the close of last year was £48,557,751.

Referring to the Pacific cable, Mr. Seddon said that doubtless the Pacific Cable Board would see the propriety of allowing a local service being established between Australia and New Zealand. The rates for existing lines between Australia and New Zealand were unsatisfactory, and it would be in the interest of the Australian Commonwealth as well as New Zealand to have the whole cable between these two countries State-owned.

Mr. Seddon also said that there was nothing to warrant the alarm and pessimistic view taken respecting the colony's finance, and it was reasonable to expect a fair surplus at the end of the current year. The elasticity of finance for which New Zealand was noted still continued.

THE COLLAPSE OF A BALCONY.

QUIRINDI, Friday.

The patients invalided by the balcony disaster are doing as well as can be expected. Nothing of a serious nature is feared. Mr. Suckling and Mrs. Suckling are likely to remain in the Imperial Hotel for some weeks. Mr. E. A. Allen has slowly improved. An officer has arrived to relieve him of his duties as manager of the Commercial Bank. Mr. Hugh M'Master, Mrs. J. M. Allison, Mr. William Cadell, Mrs. William M'Donald, Miss M'Donald, Mr. Swale, Mrs. Swale, Mrs. Cramer, and Mr. Donald M'Pherson have all suffered bad turns as well as those above-mentioned. Miss M'Donald, of Wallabadah, was worse injured than was at first supposed. It will be probably a long time before those with broken limbs are able to get about. Mr. John Taylor, who went home to Glenalvon, Murrurundi, is reported to have one leg in a bad state.

The St. John Ambulance Society suggests the formation of a class at Quirindi for the purpose of having a trained brigade of men and women to render aid in such sad accidents.

TO-DAY.

Organ Recital and Concert: Town Hall, 8 p.m.

Centenary Hall: Christian Endeavour Anniversary, 7.30 p.m.

All Saints' Schoolroom, Woollahra: Lantern Lecture, 7.30 p.m.

Naval and Military Club: General Committee Meeting, 8 p.m.

Petersham Christian Conference: Prayer Meeting, School Hall, Railway-street, Petersham, 7.30 p.m.

School of Arts: Entertainment, Mr. Harry Leston and Pupils, 8 p.m.

Sydney Cricket Ground: New South Wales Team v. Next Fifteen, 3 p.m.

Royal Agricultural Ground: Balmain III. v. Western Suburbs III., 2 p.m.

University Oval: British Association Football, Kerr Cup Final, 3.30 p.m.

Rosehill Races: First Event, 2.10 p.m.

New South Wales Amateur Billiards Championship: New South Wales Amateur Sports Club, 8 p.m.

Manly: Port Jackson Steamship Company's Excursions.

Criterion Theatre: "Death or Glory, Boys," 7.50 p.m.

Cyclorama: Cinematograph, Illusions, &c., 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.

Empire Theatre: Fuller's Variety Company, 8 p.m.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "La Boheme," 8 p.m.

Lyceum Theatre: "The Mariners of England," 8 p.m.

Palace Theatre: The World's Entertainers, 2.30 and 8 p.m.

Queen's Hall: Percy Bates' Shilling Pops, 8 p.m.

Theatre Royal: "Mrs. Dane's Defence," 7.50 p.m.

Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville and Variety Season, 2.30 and 7.50 p.m.

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COMMONWEALTH NOTES.

THE SENATE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

PARLIAMENT HOUSE,
MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Senate this morning agreed to the second reading of a Bill to Regulate the Taking of Evidence by the Federal Parliament or any committee thereof. The mover, Senator Neild (N.S.W.), explained that the measure was on the same lines as New South Wales legislation. Senator R. E. O'Connor said the Government would require time to consider the bill in order to deal with it in committee. The bill was formally committed. In a debate on Senator Keating's (Tas.) motion affirming the desirability of the Commonwealth obtaining immediate control of the Bass Straits' cable, the motion was amended by substituting the words "as soon as possible" for the word "immediate," and in this form it was agreed to.

The afternoon sitting was devoted to debating the Public Service Bill, on the motion for the second reading. Those who took part in the debate were Senators Barrett (Vic.), Smith (W.A.), Neild (N.S.W.), and Walker (N.S.W.), all of whom pointed out clauses which they thought were susceptible of improvement. The debate was adjourned on the motion of Senator Gould (N.S.W.), and its resumption was fixed for Wednesday next. The Senate rose at 3.48 p.m.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Three petitions in favour of clauses 54 and 55 of the Postal Bill were received by the House of Representatives this afternoon. Mr. Poynton (S.A.) directed the attention of the Premier to the reported landing of 80 Afghans in Melbourne yesterday, and asked if action would be taken to prevent the wholesale immigration of these people. Mr. Barton promised to see what could reasonably be done in the matter, but reminded the hon. member that the Commonwealth had no legislation under which he could act.

The Premier gave notice of motion to alter the sitting days to Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays in each week, the hours of meeting to be 2 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays, and 10 a.m. on Fridays.

Replying to a question, the Premier promised to inquire into allegations regarding a German State lottery with a view to taking action in the matter in the Post Office.

Mr. King O'Malley (Tas.) moved a resolution affirming the desirability, in the interests of inter-state navigation, of the Government prohibiting subsidised foreign steamship companies, manned by either coloured or white labour, from carrying passengers or goods between Commonwealth ports, and that inter-state navigation traffic should be regulated. The mover and his seconder, Mr. Mauger (Vic.), said that this was not a question of protection, but of justice to the Commonwealth shipowners; but Mr. Solomon (S.A.) declared that it was more—it was prohibition. He relied upon the good sense of the House to reject the motion.

Mr. Barton asked the House not to come to a decision on the question at the present time. The Minister for Trade and Customs, he said, was making inquiries in order that full information should be available to enable the Government to take reasonable and politic action in the matter. He hoped that another session would not pass by without a Navigation and Shipping Act being passed. The policy of the Commonwealth on the matter could only be arrived at after close inquiries had been made. While there was no doubt as to the powers of the Commonwealth a good deal depended upon relations with the rest of the world. He advised the withdrawal of the motion, and to this course the mover consented.

The House agreed to a motion to ask the Governments of the States for the information necessary to prepare a return giving information respecting Australians who had been on active service in South Africa. On the motion for adjournment the Premier said the Postal Bill would be proceeded with in committee on Tuesday. The House adjourned at 3.20 p.m.

RECRUITING FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

On Wednesday evening, on the motion for the adjournment of the House of Representatives, Mr. M'Donald (Q.) drew the attention of the Premier to an advertisement appearing in the Western Australian newspapers, from which it might be inferred that the Commonwealth Government was sanctioning the recruiting of men for service in South Africa. Mr. Barton said that sanction had merely been given for men desiring to return to South Africa to take advantage of "indulgence passage" on the transport Britannic. To-day the Premier made public a memorandum sent to the Military Commandant of Western Australia on the subject. The memorandum contains the following sentence:—"Mr. Barton would have no objection to the military authorities certifying as to the fitness for service of any applicants for passages under conditions of the telegram, provided there is no cost or expenditure incurred by the Commonwealth Government and no recruiting is done under authority of the Commonwealth."

TASMANIA AND THE POSTAL BILL.

The Premier has received a telegram from Mr. Lewis, Premier of Tasmania, in which the latter says he hopes that if the anti-gambling clauses of the Postal Bill are passed no steps will be taken to stop letters until the High Court is established, and then only one or two letters, just sufficient to form the ground of an appeal and allow the question to be tested. Mr. Barton replied to the effect that he cannot bind the Government by any such assurances. If Parliament gives the power sought under the Postal Bill the action of the Government will be regulated only by the responsibilities of the department.

AUSTRALIAN NAVAL DEFENCE.

Mr. Barton (the Premier) laid on the table of the House of Representatives this afternoon a copy of a despatch from Rear-Admiral Beaumont in reply to a request sent to him by the Commonwealth Government, through the Governor-General, asking for suggestions as to a practicable scheme of Australian naval defence. The despatch reads as follows:—

"The question of what shall be the naval character of a general scheme of defence for Australia can only be satisfactorily solved by thorough examination of the conditions which are likely to prevail during a war in which the continent of Australia is involved, and by careful consideration, in light of data thus obtained of the obligation which rests upon the Federal Government to provide for such a contingency, a fleet of efficient ships and 'a trained naval force to man them.'

"Your Lordship will doubtless admit that within the limits of a letter it is not possible for me to explain in detail what I conceive these conditions would be, nor would it be possible to arrive at the point of convincing those upon whom will rest the responsibility of deciding what measure of naval defence is needed without the full exposition and explanation of the requirements of such defence and what it will be able to effect. But I can now, in general terms, indicate what should result from an examination of these conditions—that is, in other words, I can give what, in my opinion, are the obligations of the Federal Government in respect of the naval defence of the Commonwealth.

"1. They should cause to be maintained on the Australian station as defined by the Admiralty a squadron of at least six cruisers in commission, two of them first-class cruisers of 7000 to 8000 tons displacement, and others second-class cruisers of the improved high-flyer type.

"2. There should in addition be two such second-class cruisers in reserve.

"3. These vessels ought to be replaced gradually by more modern vessels, as the development of naval construction renders it desirable, or the increase of foreign fleets makes it necessary.

"4. The vessels should be under the admiral in command of his Majesty's ships on the station, and their crews subject to the Naval Discipline Act, and embarked under the same terms of engagement as in the Royal Navy.

"5. The head-quarters of the squadron ought to remain at Sydney, owing to repairing facilities and convenience of existing depots there: but the ships should be attached in turn for ordinary placed service, when not required for fleet exercises, at suitable ports in each State where the Federal Government should give facilities for the gradual establishment of the secondary naval bases, which will be essential in war as regards coal, stores, and repairs.

"The above gives on broad lines a naval force adequate for the naval defence of Australia at the present time. It will be seen from the size and number of the ships required, from the necessity which will undoubtedly arise of replacing them from time to time by more modern ships, from the fact that they must be continuously manned by trained officers and men, and that the ships must not only be maintained in commission, but must be gradually provided with new bases, that it is beyond the power of the Commonwealth at the outset to create such a force.

"It follows, therefore, that such a force can only be acquired and maintained by arrangement with the Imperial Government, and I believe that if this course were adopted it would also follow that the greatest amount of good would be secured at the smallest possible cost.

"In view of the Federal Government providing in the immediate future for an adequate up-to-date sea-going fleet for the defence of the Australian floating commerce and protection of Australian territory, I consider it should take no part in the creation or maintenance of naval reserves or State naval forces, which experience has shown cannot be utilised in a manner at all commensurate with their cost, or assist, except within too narrow limits, in the defence of the Commonwealth.

"The future may see the creation of an Australian navy, but, for the present, the safety and welfare of the Commonwealth require that the naval force in Australian waters should be a sea-going fleet of modern ships, fully equipped, fully manned, with trained crews homogeneous as to type and personnel, and under one command.

"For the Federal Government to form out of the existing naval organisations a permanent force as the nucleus of a Naval Defence Force, the main body of which would be derived from Naval Brigades, as suggested in your Excellency's letter, would not be sufficient, unless that force is only intended to supplement crews of his Majesty's ships-of-war. If not then moderate-sized ships would have to be provided and maintained by the Federal Government for the officers and men of the Commonwealth naval force, in which they could be trained at sea and part maintained, at all times in a state of efficiency and readiness for war. This system would be much more costly and less efficient than if ships and men were provided by arrangement with the Imperial Government.

"In conclusion I beg to assure your Excellency of my entire readiness to consider the question from every point of view, and of my sincere desire to assist your Ministers to arrive at a system of naval defence for the Commonwealth which shall be practical and satisfactory. (Signed) L. A. Beaumont, Rear Admiral, Commander-in-Chief."

THE INTER-STATE COMMISSION BILL.

Mr. Deakin, the Attorney-General, states that several amendments it is proposed to make in the Inter-State Commission Bill have been handed to him. He had not had time to consider these amendments, but he would have to do so before submitting them to the Cabinet. Speaking with knowledge gained from a cursory glance at the proposed amendments, he thought they did not adequately represent the changes necessary in the measure. He repeated assurances that have previously been given that the Government would stand firmly to the principles of the bill relating to river traffic and ocean traffic carried on in connection with railways.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF A GIRL.

FATHER AND MOTHER IN CUSTODY.

ACCUSED COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

A magisterial inquiry into the mysterious death of the girl Elizabeth O'Reilly was commenced yesterday at Ballarat. James O'Reilly and his wife, Bessie, both of whom are over 70 years of age, were presented on a charge of murder of their daughter at Invermay on August 2. Mr. Gurner appeared to prosecute on behalf of the Crown, and Mr. F. Ham appeared on behalf of the accused.

The courthouse was crowded with interested spectators. The old couple tottered to the seats placed for them in the dock, and as they seated themselves they were warmly embraced by their two surviving daughters, who had attended them into the courthouse. Mr. Gurner, in opening the case for the Crown, said that he thought it a matter for regret that no inquest was held on the body, a remark to which Mr. Johns, P.M., took exception, adding that as coroner he exercised his best judgment in dispensing with an inquest.

The first witnesses called were Dr. Mitchell and Dr. Pinnock, who made a post-mortem examination of the body of the deceased. Their evidence was a statement in detail of the information already published in these columns, to the effect that all the organs were healthy and that death was due to suffocation, presumably to violence. From the undigested state of food, presumably partaken of by deceased at 6 o'clock on the evening of August 1, death probably occurred not more than three hours afterwards. There were abrasions on various parts of the body and bruises on the chest. Pressure had apparently been applied to the mouth and nose. These medical witnesses also gave evidence as to the examination of Mrs. O'Reilly, and agreed that although so far advanced in years she was well developed muscularly. At the date of examination there was a puffed and reddened area above and behind the left ear and a bruise on the upper part of the left arm, and another bruise on the right breast. All bruises seemed to be of the same age.

Dr. C. H. Mollison gave evidence as to his examination of the exhumed body on the 11th instant. His statement as to the post-mortem appearance of the body was substantially the same as that of the previous witnesses. He was also of opinion that death was due to suffocation induced by some external cause, such as pressure on the face and chest.

The hearing of the case was continued at Ballarat Police Court to-day.

John O'Reilly, a farm labourer, and brother of the accused, said that he had never seen a more affectionate family than that of his brother. Deceased had frequently complained of palpitation of the heart, and was subject to vomiting and to fainting fits.

C. R. Blackett, Government Analyst, stated that the various articles of clothing and the counterpane submitted to him by the police contained bloodstains. He had examined the stomach of the deceased and the contents, and had failed to find any trace of poison, either vegetable or mineral.

Julia O'Reilly, the eldest daughter of the accused, also gave evidence. She said that she had been in service at Mr. Urquhart's farm, Mount Rowan, for 23 years, and was the first to visit her father's cottage after her sister's death. She described the position in which the body was lying. It was turned to the left, with the face towards the pillow and two blood-stained pocket handkerchiefs were on the bed. At this time—about 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the 2nd instant—the body was quite warm. Witness removed a singlet and chemise and skirt from the corpse and drew on a clean nightdress which the police found on the body. Two counterpanes and a sheet were soaking in a tub outside the door, and as these smelt sour witness emptied the tub and re-filled it with fresh water.

In cross-examination witness stated that the police had harassed her and her sister and mother with frequent visits. One policeman said to witness that it was of no use for her to deny anything, as they already had enough evidence to hang her mother. Witness further stated that her father told her some considerable time back that he had to sit up with Lizzie at nights, as he was afraid she might suffocate in her sleep from bleeding at the nose.

In reply to a question by Mr. Johns, P.M., witness said that she scrubbed the floor on the Friday and again on the Saturday in order to have the place look tidy. There were no bloodstains on the floor.

Margaret O'Reilly, domestic servant, sister of the last witness, cried bitterly while giving evidence. She said that when she reached home her father was crying, saying that his poor child had gone, and that he was broken-hearted. There had never been any quarrelling among members of the family. Her parents almost worshipped her sister. Detectives Rogerson and Armstrong had told her that there was enough evidence against her mother to hang her, and had counselled her to listen while her mother was asleep and the whole story would come out. The detectives also said that it had been a drunken affray, and that it would be much better for her mother to tell the truth.

Catherine Blayney, sister of the licensee of the North Britain Hotel, stated that James O'Reilly told her that his daughter Lizzie died between 10 and 11 o'clock on the morning of the 2nd instant. He was then on his way home from Ballarat. O'Reilly and deceased had occasionally called at the hotel and had drinks together.

Detective Rogerson, in answer to questions by Mr. Ham, counsel for accused, emphatically denied having said to the daughters of the accused that the police had enough evidence to hang their mother, and even if they had such information he would not have been so cruel as to say so. Both Armstrong and himself respected the girls, and had treated them with the utmost courtesy. It was absolutely false that they had counselled either of the daughters to listen while their mother slept and that the whole story would come out.

William Kane and George Davis, neighbours of the accused, gave evidence to the effect that they had given James O'Reilly a lift in their cart on the morning of the 2nd instant, and he got down about 11 o'clock at the slipralls going into his paddock. He said nothing about his daughter being dead.

Walter Goodie, a baker's carter, who had been in the habit of delivering bread at O'Reilly's cottage, said that he saw a woman, whom he believed to be deceased, going to the house from the wood heap between 8 and 9 o'clock on the morning of the 2nd instant. Although the detectives had told him that the girl died the previous night he still believed that it was deceased whom he saw.

Other witnesses, who knew the family, gave evidence to the effect that the members of the family were on the most affectionate terms with each other.

Mr. Ham submitted that a prima facie case had not been made out by the Crown.

Mr. Johns, P.M., said that, although the case for the prosecution was extremely weak, it was clear that the accused had told lies, more particularly the father, James O'Reilly. When people told lies in connection with such a serious matter they must have grave reason for doing so. He committed accused for trial. Both accused protested their innocence. Bail was refused.

The twelfth anniversary of the Boadicea Lodge, No. 249, of the Ancient Order of Druids (Grand Lodge of New South Wales) was celebrated on Wednesday evening last, when a social and dance was held at the Paddington Town Hall. About 200 of the principal officers, with their wives and friends, were present. Dancing began at 8 p.m., and was kept up with spirit until 1 a.m. The executive committee who carried out the arrangements were Brother P. Patterson (chairman), Brother W. Hildebrandt (secretary), Brother E. J. Hill (treasurer), with Brothers A. E. Brown, S. Thornton, W. Coulson, and T. Coulson. The masters of ceremonies were Brothers G. Crothers, J. Robinson, G. Moore, W. Hill, and S. Brown. The music, which consisted of 17 dances, was provided by a string orchestra. Miss Doyle contributed an extra.

SECOND EDITION

SILVER.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

Bar silver is quoted to-day at 2s 2½d per ounce standard—a rise of 1-16d since Wednesday.

THE COMMONWEALTH RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

BRISBANE, Friday.

At the general meeting of the Federal Rifle Association of Australasia held to-night representatives were present from the Southern States. It was decided to alter the title of the association to the Commonwealth Association of Australia. The next federal rifle meeting was fixed to take place in South Australia. It was deemed advisable that the Federal Minister for Defence should be approached with the object of having the Commonwealth Association recognised in the Defence Bill now before the Federal Parliament. A resolution to this effect will be submitted to the adjourned meeting to be held to-morrow night.

CHINA.

BRITISH GARRISON AT SHANGHAI.

LONDON, August 15.

The reduction of the British garrison at Shanghai, and especially the withdrawal of the cavalry, leaving the German commander the senior officer, is bitterly resented by the British community in the city.

THE UNITED STATES.

THE GREAT STEEL STRIKE.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

A movement has been started to oust Mr. Shaffer from the position of President of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel, and Tin Workers.

COLOMBIA AND VENEZUELA.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

In consequence of the diplomatic rupture between Colombia and Venezuela H.M.S. Icarus, screw sloop of 970 tons, of the Pacific station, has been despatched to Panama.

MALTA.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

Mr. Chamberlain, in answer to a question asked by Mr. John Boland, Nationalist, in the House of Commons last night, said that the Government did not intend to appoint a Royal Commission to inquire into the government of Malta.

THE ROYAL TOUR.

PRESENTATIONS FROM NATIVES.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

The native chiefs of Natal and Zululand presented addresses to the Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York at Pietermaritzburg.

DEPARTURE FOR CAPE COLONY.

LONDON, Aug 16.

The Ophir, with the Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York aboard, left Durban yesterday for Simonstown, Cape Colony.

GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

THE POSITION OF MOROCCO.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

A satisfactory interchange of views has taken place between Great Britain and France with regard to Morocco.

COADJUTOR ARCHBISHOP KELLY.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

The Very Reverend Monsignor Kelly has been consecrated at the Vatican as Coadjutor Archbishop of Sydney.

Dr. Kelly was highest in the voting of the clergy of Sydney for nomination as Coadjutor-Archbishop to Cardinal Moran. The Right Rev. Monsignor O'Brien, of St. John's College, and the Right Rev. Dr. O'Donnell, Bishop of Raphoe, came next in the voting. Archbishop Kelly was born in New Ross, county Wexford, Ireland, in 1849. He was educated at Wexford and Rome; at the latter place under the late Monsignor Kirby, who was a class-fellow and close rival in studies of Pope Leo XIII. In 1872 he was ordained priest. Shortly after he joined the Diocesan Missionary Society, the object of which was to assist the local clergy. In the year 1891 Archbishop Kirby (rector of the Irish College at Rome), through age and infirmity, asked for some relief from the cares of office, and the Holy See, on the recommendation of the Irish bishops, appointed Dr. Kelly. Archbishop Kirby retained the title of rector until 1894, when he was succeeded by Dr. Kelly. Besides being rector of the Irish College Dr. Kelly was procurator in Rome for the Irish and Australian bishops. In the Irish College he has effected vast changes and improvements. One of these is the Kirby Memorial Hall, which serves for the academical exercises of the students. He is a great lover of ecclesiastical music, a theologian, an ecclesiastical historian, and an archæologist.

FRENCH RELIGIOUS ORDERS.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

The Belgian bishops have decided to admit the migrating members of the French religious orders only if they make no collections, and open neither schools nor chapels.

THE BUTTER MARKET.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

W. Weddel and Co. in their annual report on the butter trade anticipate that last season's high prices will be maintained, and possibly will be augmented.

This matter is dealt with in our commercial columns.

ADULTERATION OF BUTTER.

HEAVY FINES.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

A firm named Pearks has been fined £20 at Folkestone and costs on a charge of having sold butter with an excess of water.

The same firm was fined £50 and costs on a charge of selling butter containing 25 4-5ths grains of boracic acid per pound.

METHODIST CENTURY FUND.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

Towards the Methodist Century Million Guinea Fund £930,000 has been promised. The total amount received is £600,000.

A MOTOR PLOUGH.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

Mr. R. J. Gatling has invented a motor plough which he claims will enable a man to plough 30 acres daily.

A company has been formed at St. Louis, U.S.A., to obtain the patent rights.

LATE SHIPPING.

PORT ADELAIDE.—Departures: August 16, Essen, for Java; Wollowra, for Western Australia.

PORT PIRIE.—Arrivals: August 16, Acamus, ship, from Barry; Dovedale, from Newcastle.

PORT DARWIN.—Arrival: August 14, The Changsha, from Southern ports. Departure: August 14, Changsha, for Hongkong, via Manila.

CURE COLDS,
and prevent after ill-effects, by taking Wolfe's Schnapps hot, with lemon, at bedtime.—Advt.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

A BREACH OF PRIVILEGE.

EDITOR AND PUBLISHER SUMMONED TO THE BAR.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

The "Globe," an evening newspaper, in a recent issue, insinuated that Irish Nationalist members of the House of Commons had been guilty of corruption in connection with private bill legislation.

On the article being brought before the House of Commons the House unanimously resolved that the newspaper had committed a gross breach of privilege, and the editor and the publisher were summoned to the Bar.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, the leader of the House, suggested that in 1902 a select committee should be appointed to report upon the best method of preserving the dignity of the House in matters of breach of privilege.

THE FACTORY BILL.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

The Factory Bill has passed through all its stages in the House of Lords. The Government accepted the amendment made by the House of Commons, providing for the closing of the textile mills at noon on Saturdays, instead of at 1 p.m. as had originally been proposed.

THE PROROGATION.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

Parliament will be prorogued on Saturday until the middle of January.

THE EXPLORING SHIP DISCOVERY.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

The Antarctic exploring ship Discovery has arrived at Funchal, Madeira. Captain Scott, R.N., the commander of the vessel, declares that the Discovery is a splendid sea boat. The ocean sounding gear has been successfully tried.

VICTORIA.

FACTORIES AND SHOPS ACT.

SOME REMARKABLE EVIDENCE.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

In giving evidence yesterday before the Royal Commission on the operation of the Factories and Shops Act John Bedgood, boot manufacturer, said the Act had generally been beneficial to both employers and employees, but the introduction of the wages board system had had a most disastrous effect on the industrial community. He considered it impossible to fix a minimum wage, and, as the men had to live, collusion between the employer and employee was inevitable. He had to work his factory on business lines, and when the Wages Board came into operation he had been forced to discharge a number of slow workers, who were desirable employees in their way, but not worth the minimum wage. Some of them were young men just over 21, who were quite satisfied to work for from 25s to 30s per week. Great hardship had been inflicted on some families, who through the operation of the Act had been compelled to seek work in the other States. He had been informed that in some factories the employees refunded to the employers the difference between what they were worth and the minimum wage paid to them.

PROPOSED REPEAL OF THE STOCK TAX.

The Premier (Mr. Peacock) states that it is his intention to bring under the notice of the State Cabinet next Tuesday the request made to him by a deputation of master butchers for the repeal of the stock tax. At the same time the Premier thinks that in view of the early introduction of the federal tariff, which is to carry with it inter-State freetrade, it is not advisable for the State Government to alter any existing tariff conditions. Meantime the Victorian householders are paying a heavy price for meat, the retail price for beef ranging up to 11d per lb.

DR. WOLLASTON.

The resignation of Dr. Wollaston from the position of counsel to the Marine Board of Victoria, dating from 31st instant, in consequence of his acceptance of the position of Comptroller of the Federal Customs, was received at the board's meeting to-day. A motion was passed accepting Dr. Wollaston's resignation with sincerest regret, and placing on record the board's highest appreciation of the invaluable assistance which Dr. Wollaston, by his knowledge of the merchant shipping laws, has so ably rendered to the board since its inauguration in 1898.

AN IMMENSE CASTING.

An interesting event took place at the works of the Austral Otis Engineering Company, South Melbourne, this afternoon, when the casting of one of the largest cylinders ever made in Australia was successfully carried out in the presence of several officers and members of the Metropolitan Board of Works. The cylinder, which weighs about 10 tons, is to form a portion of a large engine which is being built by the company for the Metropolitan Board of Works' sewerage pumping station at Spottiswoode. The total weight of the engine when completed will be about 210 tons.

A collision occurred in Hobson's Bay this morning between the barque Bluebell and one of the Harbour Trust barges, resulting in serious injuries to the latter vessel. The Bluebell was being towed out from her berth at Williamstown stern first, and the towline connecting her with the tug parted. She struck the barge amidships with her rudder. A large opening was made in the barge, and she took in a quantity of water, but afterwards she was safely towed up the river for repairs. The Bluebell was apparently uninjured.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

THE POPULATION OF THE STATE.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

Comparative statements have been supplied by the Superintendent of the Census, Mr. Sholl, showing the population in each division and county of South Australia at the date of the census of 1891 and that for 1901. The population in the county of Adelaide in 1901 was 180,823, an increase of 30,000. The increase for the Central Division was at the rate of 16·23 per cent., the increase in the Lower North 11·6 per cent., and in the South-Eastern Division 11·3 per cent. In the Western counties the increase was 48·26 per cent., while the Upper North shows a decrease of 1·89 per cent. The total population in the divisions and counties was at the last census 349,328, being an increase of 43·7, while that of the remainder of the State outside the counties shows a slight decrease. The total population of South Australia proper in 1891 was 310,426, and in 1901 it was 354,001, the increase being 43,575.

The figures for the Northern Territory show a percentage decrease of 16·37, including shipping. The total population of South Australia for the two census years is set down at 320,431 in 1891 and 362,604 in 1901, an increase of 42,173.

THE MURDER BY AN AFGHAN.

On July 17, W. Cockrum reported to the police at Oodnadatta that on June 2 Edward Warman, a member of the prospecting party under his leadership, was murdered in the Mann Ranges by an Afghan. As soon as the Commissioner of Police received an intimation of the crime he ordered several mounted constables to proceed to the locality and scour the country, so as to bring the alleged murderer to justice. This morning Colonel Madley received the following telegram from Port Augusta police station:—"Mounted Constable Buttfield wired from Oodnadatta re murder in Mann Ranges. Just returned with police party. Found Afghan Abdur Ackman dead 30 miles south of Indulkinna. Matter reported, and justice's certificate granted. Death brought about by starvation and exhaustion. He appeared to have been dead about one month."

A telegram from Mannum, on the River Murray, reports that the body of E. Walter, a farmer, residing about three miles from Mannum, has been found in a stable on his premises shot through the head.

The Postmaster-General recently at the request of the South Australian representatives asked Sir Charles Todd for a report on the proposed telegraph line to Tarcoola. It is understood that Sir Charles has directed attention to the exceedingly good crushings from the Tarcoola Block Mine, and has given estimates of the cost of the three routes—one from Port Augusta, one via Coward, and the other from Murat Bay.

In reply to a deputation to-day the Minister for Mines promised to send a boring plant to Tarcoola to test the country for minerals and water.

The warship Phoebe, which arrived on Wednesday morning, left for Jervis Bay early to-day.

NEW ZEALAND.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

The Estimates provide for £50,000 for the expenses of the Duke of Cornwall and York's visit, £6000 expenses for the contingents to the Commonwealth celebrations, and £3000 expenses for the visit of the Imperial troops. £87,997 was expended last year in connection with the South African contingents, and £30,000 is asked for the current year.

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THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

EFFECT OF THE PROCLAMATION.

DEBATE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

POWERFUL SPEECH BY MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

PRECEDENTS CITED.

SEVERER MEASURES INDICATED.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

In the House of Commons last night the motion for the second reading of the Appropriation Bill led to an animated debate on the war in South Africa.

Sir William Harcourt, Liberal, said that the recent proclamation issued by Lord Kitchener was calculated to irritate the Boers and would be futile. It was not warranted, he said, by the existing military situation, and it deprived the Boers of the rights of belligerents.

Mr. Chamberlain, who replied to Sir William Harcourt, made a persuasive and powerful speech. He emphasised the larger number of surrenders made on account of the proclamation, which, he said, followed precedents set in the civil war in the United States, and in the annexation of Alsace-Lorraine by Germany. As a further precedent he stated that Major-General M'Arthur, when Military Governor of the Philippines, warned the Filipinos, after their military organisation had disappeared, that the shooting by them of American soldiers would be treated as murder.

Sir William Harcourt: Is that your policy?

Mr. Chamberlain: I cannot say that that condition has yet been reached; but if the Boers degenerate to banditti, I will then say "Yes, it is our policy."

This announcement was received with cheers from the Ministerial side of the House while the Opposition maintained silence.

Mr. Chamberlain, continuing, said that the proclamation was prepared and was approved by the British Cabinet prior to the suggestion being received from the Government of Natal.

The proclamation, Mr. Chamberlain said, upheld the rights of belligerents, and was worth trying even if it failed to rid the colonies of "irreconcilables."

Mr. H. H. Asquith, Liberal Imperialist, in the course of a speech, emphasised the disorganised state of the Boers and of their degeneration into a guerilla force. Annexation, he declared, had rendered the Boers British subjects.

Mr. Asquith also emphasised the energy and moderation of Lord Kitchener and the patient pertinacity of the troops in their operations of the past 12 months.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, said that not a man or a horse would be withdrawn from South Africa unless the military situation justified the step. The war had been unduly prolonged even from the standpoint of the Boers.

CAPE RAIDERS.

A SEVERE DEFEAT.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

Lieutenant-Colonel Gorringe has inflicted severe losses on the commandos of Kruitzinger, Erasmus, Pyper, and Cachet, near Steynsburg, northern Cape Colony. Erasmus and Cachet were mortally wounded.

SWISS ATTENDANTS FOR THE REFUGEE CAMPS.

PREVENTED FROM SAILING.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

A committee in Switzerland arranged for a doctor and six nurses to tend the women folk in refugee camps in South Africa.

The party, however, was not allowed to leave Southampton, and the authorisation given to the Swiss committee in March by Lord Roberts allowing the party to be sent to South Africa was rescinded on the ground that all measures for the health of the refugee camps had been taken.

The Foreign Office has declined the request of the Swiss committee to intervene on its behalf with the War Office and endeavour to have the decision reversed.

A PEACE MANIFESTO BY CLERGYMEN.

LONDON, Aug. 15.

The Rev. Dr. Clifford and 500 other ministers of the free churches have signed a peace manifesto favouring an amnesty to the rebels, the granting of autonomy to the Boers, and compensation for losses of property.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, leader of the Opposition, has replied to the manifesto stating that settlement on those lines would be sound policy of common sense and Christian principle.

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL LYTTELTON.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

The presence of Lieutenant-General the Hon. N. G. Lyttelton in South Africa will be merely a precaution in the event of Lord Kitchener becoming ill. Otherwise Lord Kitchener will remain in South Africa until resistance is suppressed.

THE TARIFF OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORIES.

NO PROTECTIVE DISCRIMINATION.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

Mr. Chamberlain, in replying to a question asked by Sir John Rolleston in the House of Commons last night, said that it was not intended that the tariff of the Orange River Colony and of the Transvaal should show protective discrimination against foreign goods.

AUSTRALIAN CASUALTY.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

Lieutenant Charles de Vertus Duff, late of the 2nd Victorian Contingent, and now of French's Scouts, was severely wounded at Bethesda.

THE TROOPSHIP BRITANNIC.

"INDULGENCE" PASSENGERS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

The troopship Britannic is to leave Woolloomooloo Bay at 4 p.m. on Tuesday next. The men who will leave by her for South Africa have to be aboard an hour beforehand. They will have to pay about £2 each before leaving to cover the cost of living during the voyage.

In addition to the names of ex-members of contingents of New South Wales who have served in South Africa, and are desirous of returning thither, after revisiting the State, the following having complied with the conditions of the notification from the Premier of the Commonwealth have been recommended for "indulgence" passages per the transport Britannic. The regimental numbers and ranks of the men are those at their late corps:—

20 Trooper W. Bond, M.R.; 44 Trooper T. Sutton, C.B.C.; Trooper H. Warren, A.M.C.; 887 Trooper G. E. Ramsay, Lancers; 96 Trooper F. S. Foster, C.S.C.; 100 Trooper A. E. Onus, C.B.C.; 131 Trooper Quinlivan, C.B.C.; 482 Trooper A. E. Ward, I.B.C.; 9 Trooper J. Briley, I.B.C.; 320 Trooper J. Jamieson, I.B.C.; 402 Trooper S. G. Fabbs, I.B.C.; 2 Trooper C. E. Brigden, C.B.C.; 82 Trooper J. Fowler, C.B.C.; Trooper F. W. Baker, Kaffir Rifles; 269 Corporal E. Payne, I.B.C.; 298 Trooper J. Tyrell, C.B.C.; 715 Trooper A. E. Robson, B.S.A. Police; 1 Trooper D. M'Kenzie, G.B.C.; 374 Trooper R. S. Vigers, C.B.C.; 303 Trooper A. Spence, A.M.C.; 120 Trooper W. Bunton, C.B.C.; 53 L. Sergeant H. Connor, China Contingent; 156 A.B. W. Surenne, China Contingent; 1302 Trooper E. Williams, I.B.C.; 41 Trooper J. T. Bruning, C.B.C.; 112 Trooper C. F. Webb, I.B.C.; Trooper A. J. Glen, I.B.C.

QUEANBEYAN, Friday.

Trooper Ernest Smallhorn left last night for Sydney, where he embarks with the troops returning to South Africa by the Britannic.

QUIRINDI, Friday.

In consequence of the offer of the Imperial Government Troopers Samuel Stafford, James Crowly, Armand, Malartic, Farrier-Sergeant John Clarke (of the Australian Horse), Corporal Edward Tipper (of the China Contingent) are returning to South Africa in the Britannic on Tuesday next.

CASUALTIES IN SOUTH AFRICA.

The Lieutenant-Governor has received the following cablegram from the Chief Casualty Officer, Capetown:—"Referring to your telegram of August 2, No. 1417, Private P. Hodge, 3rd Regiment, New South Wales Mounted Rifles, is at Standerton, progressing favourably. Following casualty reported Goudplaats, August 5:—No. 2659, Private W. V. Camper, 2nd Regiment, New South Wales Mounted Rifles, slightly wounded. Following casualty reported near Lindley, July 29:—No. 1840, Private W. R. Hawes, 3rd Regiment, New South Wales Mounted Rifles, severely wounded; No. 86, Trooper W. Cummings, New South Wales Citizens' Bushmen's Contingent, died from dysentery at Wynberg, August 4."

DEPARTURE OF LIEUTENANT LOFTS.

On Tuesday evening last at the Victoria Barracks, Lieutenant Lofts, late of the China Contingent, was entertained by the officers of the 1st Infantry Regiment at a farewell supper, prior to his departure for South Africa. Colonel Oldershaw, officer commanding the regiment, presided. He proposed the toast of their guest, expressing the opinion that the double experience gained in China and Africa would prove a material benefit, not only to Lieutenant Lofts, but also to his regiment.

QUEENSLAND.

THE PLAGUE.

A SUSPECTED CASE AT BRISBANE.

BRISBANE, Friday.

A seaman on the Barcoo was reported to be plague-stricken to-day. He died to-night.

THE GOVERNORSHIP.

It is reported that Mr. John E. Courtney Bodley, barrister and political writer, has been offered the Governorship of Queensland. Mr. Philp, questioned about the matter, said no appointment had been made, and pointed out that at present there was no vacancy, as Lord Lamington was now on six months' leave.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION MEETING.

At the Rifle Association's meeting yesterday the President's Match resulted:—P. Fargher (Vic.), with 48 points out of 50, 1; Sergeant Harker (Vic.), 46, 2; Corporal Hibberd (Tas.), 46, 3. The King's Prize will go to either P. Fargher (Vic.) or Captain Gatty (Tas.).

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

KALGOORLIE, Friday.

A sensational incident occurred in Hannans-street yesterday afternoon. A barmaid threw herself over the balcony of the Kalgoorlie Hotel, and fell head foremost into the gutter, a distance of 20ft. She was picked up bleeding and senseless. She was badly bruised, and received severe injuries to the spine.

PERTH, Friday.

Early yesterday morning a man named Edward Reid died at Fremantle Hospital from injuries said to have been received in a street brawl at the port on Saturday night.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, Friday.

The Minister for Lands has received a cable from Mr. Harcourt Palmer regarding the Great Western Railway, dated London, August 14:—"A flotation will be secured when the market improves, possibly some months." The Minister for Lands stated in his Public Works speech that unless the construction of work is continued the Government may foreclose on the line and the £10,000 deposit. The syndicate has spent over £19,000 in the construction of works.

NEW ZEALAND.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

Mr. Gow, the New Zealand Trade Commissioner, will leave for Sydney to-morrow en route for South Africa. Thereafter he will make a tour of the world in the interests of the New Zealand produce trade.

The schooner Jessie Niccol struck a reef off Cape Campbell and became waterlogged recently. The crew was taken off by a passing steamer.

TRAGEDY NEAR ALBANY.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF A WOMAN.

PERTH, Friday.

A sad fatality occurred at the house of John Barnard Rudkin, a settler near King River, east of Albany, yesterday, resulting in the death of Mrs. Rudkin. It appeared that Rudkin remained at home yesterday, owing to his wife's indisposition. The wife served dinner about noon, stew being the dish provided. Rudkin drew his wife's attention to a bitter taste in the dish. She declared that hers was all right, bearing out the statement by eating as usual. A few minutes later Mrs. Rudkin became very ill, and died within 15 minutes. A doctor arrived in time to save the husband, who took very little stew. The death of the wife was due to strychnine-poisoning, the poison being traced to the food. That morning Mrs. Rudkin visited a neighbour's to borrow sugar. After she had left the neighbour's it was found that a bottle containing strychnine was missing. This was subsequently found in deceased's dress. The Rudkins had been married about eight months.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

In view of the Governor-General having taken up his abode for a few weeks at Hambledon, his brother-in-law's sugar plantation, Cairns, Queensland, the Postmaster-General has arranged to construct a temporary telegraph line to Lord Hopetoun's place of residence. His Excellency will be in constant communication with the telegraph centre at Cairns. This is necessary to enable him to discharge his high official duties.

LAND SETTLEMENT.

BOURKE, Friday.

The local land board, consisting of Messrs. Freeman (chairman), Dwyer, and Daniell, concluded a three days' sitting yesterday. Besides a number of other cases dealt with the following reductions in rents were made:—Commercial Banking Company, C.L. 204, reduced from 4d to 2d; A.J.S. Bank, C.L. 207, 4d to 1 8-10d per acre; ditto, C.L. 209, 3·27d to 1 8-10d; W. Gale, C.L. 1579 of 276 acres, 4·44d to 2¼d; ditto, C.L. 2970 of 1252 acres, 4½d to 2¼d; John Bridge, C.L. 4999 of 1920 acres, 3d to 1½d; John James, H.L. 1429 of 1320 acres, 1·43d to ·80d; J. Byrne, H.L. 1428 of 5204 acres, ·901 to ·40d; W. J. Morrison, H.L. 1439 of 5132 acres, 1d to ½d; ditto, H.L. of 5108 acres, 1d to ½d; W. Bragg, H.L. 1443 of 10,240 acres, ·90d to ·60d.

COOMA, Friday.

At the Crown Lands Office yesterday three applications were lodged by C. W. Evans as follows:—C.P. 60 acres, C.L. 162 acres, A.C.P. 80 acres, county Wallace, parish Boco.

GOULBURN, Friday.

The following conditional purchases were applied for this week:—John Hatton, 40 acres, Uringalla; James Clarke, 120 acres, Belmore, with conditional lease 200 acres; Robert Hamilton Bruce Robertson, 270 acres, Guineacor, with conditional lease 810 acres; William James Lewis, 145 acres, Guineacor, with 435 acres conditional lease.

MOREE, Friday.

Balloting for the settlement leases and farms on Caidmurra Holding took place yesterday and to-day. There were nine farms of from 3372 to 5006 acres. Of five applicants W. G. Bunn, A. M. Bunn, and J. C. F. Small were successful, and their applications were confirmed. Two applications were disallowed. At a fresh ballot for the disallowed portions W. Beaumont and C. Bunn were successful, and their applications were confirmed.

TAMWORTH, Friday.

Yesterday John Bell, of Bundarra, applied for a conditional purchase of 40 acres, parish Bundarra, county Darling; and Walter J. Chapman, of Manilla; William Wolfe, of Manilla; Thomas Mullins, of Gunnedah; and Richard T. Abra, of Attunga, all applied for one piece of land, namely, a conditional purchase of 320 acres, and a conditional lease of 960 acres, parish Halloran, county Darling.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

The following selection areas were applied for at the local lands office yesterday:—By William Sloane, 320 acres C.P., 960 acres C.L., parish Walters, county Wellington; by Bernard Beech, 183½ acres C.P., out of U.L., parish of Guady, county Gordon.

A ballot was held to decide the order of priority for a block of 57½ acres parish Tenandra. Mr. G. B. Cottrell was the successful applicant.

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COUNTRY NEWS.

THE ATTEMPTED BANK ROBBERY AT HENTY.

ALBURY, Friday.

The man Joseph Minton, alias Davey, was before the police court this morning, on remand, charged with maliciously wounding Alfred Lamport, in company, with intent to murder him. As the principal witness, Mr. Lamport, was not well enough to appear, a further remand for a week was granted.

FATALITIES.

WYALONG, Friday.

A fatal accident occurred this morning at Neeld's mine. A youth named Frederick Parry was killed, it is believed, by a piece of stone blown out by a charge of explosives. An inquest will be held to-morrow.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

Mrs. Thomas Scott, wife of the owner of Bolygamy station, was severely burnt through her clothing catching fire, and she died from the burns and shock.

ACCIDENTS.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

A man named Louis Banfield was admitted to the hospital this morning suffering from a broken leg. He was working in the Proprietary mine at the 400ft. level, and some ore fell on him, causing the injury.

M'Kay, a miner working at the Central mine, this morning at the 700ft. level, fell through a set of timbers and sustained bruises to the arms, shoulders, and face.

THE ESCAPE OF A PRISONER.

YASS, Friday.

A private inquiry, before the police magistrate, took place to-day into the cause of the escape of the prisoner Vaughan, alias Cent, who jumped out of the train near Binalong. The result has not been made known.

MURWILLUMBAH, Friday.

The police are busy scouring the district for the escaped prisoner Vaughan, who is well known here.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

YASS, Friday.

The jury in the case of Stratton, charged with stealing a horse and sulky, after being locked up all night, failed to agree and were discharged. Prisoner was remanded to next Court.

THE RABBIT PEST.

ORANGE, Friday.

The rabbit pest is reported to be very serious about Cudal, Murga, and Toogoong. During the recent shoot 1200 were killed. The crops can make no headway against their ravages. Residents describe them as lying as thick as sheep on the feeding grounds during the evening. At Gavin's farm over 50 were killed with sticks one afternoon. The pest is also making much progress in the Orange district.

QUIRINDI, Friday.

Rabbits are getting very numerous.

DEATHS.

NARRANDERA, Friday.

Mr. Archie Anderson, son of Mr. James Anderson, proprietor of Yarran Vale, near Darlington, on Tuesday went out to skin a foal that had died from tetanus. He had one or two sores on his hands and took shivers at 8 a.m. on Wednesday and died in an hour.

ORANGE, Friday.

The deaths are reported of Mr. Charles Morgan, aged 70, and Mr. James Casey, aged 73 years, both old residents.

OLD AGE PENSIONS.

ORANGE, Friday.

To-day 470 applications have been made for old-age pensions, and 152 certificates have been issued.

TAMWORTH, Friday.

One of the applicants for an old-age pension is a German who has been in this country 60 years, but who has never been naturalised. He has also reared a large family. According to the Act he is debarred from making a claim, and if he goes through the form of being naturalised he will require to wait another 10 years before the pension can be granted him.

GRAFTON, Friday.

The local board has granted 154 old-age pensions in the Grafton district.

METHODIST UNION.

GOULBURN, Friday.

A joint meeting of the members of the Wesleyan Church, Goldsmith-street, and the Primitive Methodist Church, Lagoon-street, was held last night to arrange for the working of circuits after the next conference. The Rev. J. W. Winspear (Wesleyan) presided. There was a large attendance. Proposals were submitted by the Rev. E. Crozier (Primitive Methodist), and it was agreed to recommend that after the next conference the two circuits as at present constituted be known as the Goldsmith-street circuit and the Lagoon-street circuit; that there be a frequent interchange of pulpits, the ministers of each circuit to confer with one another; and that united meetings of the two circuits be arranged to prepare the way for successful union. The finding of the quarterly meeting on this recommendation will be reported to the Federal Council.

ILLNESS OF MR. W. FORRESTER.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.

Mr. W. Forrester, of Warwick Farm, has been rather seriously indisposed during the past week, consequent upon an attack of paralysis on Monday last. Dr. Pirie is attending the sufferer, who was reported to be slightly better to-day.

LIVERPOOL SCHOOL OF ARTS.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.

The newly inaugurated local School of Arts may now be said to be firmly established. The membership to the institution is daily increasing, and the committee is prosecuting negotiations with a view to securing one of the Albion Hall buildings, in the main street of the town, for the purpose of conducting its operations. A social has been arranged to take place shortly in aid of the funds of the institution, which have been augmented by donations from several leading residents. A public debate by the members took place on Wednesday evening in the council-chambers, when the question "Whether the pastoral and agricultural industries had done more for Australia than the mining industry" formed the subject of an interesting discussion, the debate being decided in favour of the mining industry.

LISMORE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

LISMORE, Friday.

At the monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce the committee placed on record its sincere and heartfelt regret for the loss sustained in the death of the late president, Mr. John Gibson, and a motion of condolence with his widow and family was carried. The chamber is again urging upon the Government to expedite the work of straightening and deepening the north arm of the river in order to provide for ocean-going steamers of deeper draught than those now in the trade, as such are expected to be put on the trade in the near future.

SOUTH COAST.

BULLI, Friday.

A sailor (one of the crew of the Blackall) was seriously injured this morning by being drawn into the winch on board while at the Bulli jetty. Both his arms were severely crushed. He was taken to Sydney for treatment.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

The I.S.N. Company's steamers Illawarra, Eden, and Bega left with district produce.

At Port Kembla the Dovedale left for Port Pirie with 946 tons coke and 405 tons bunkers. The Nemesis left with 1033 tons coke and 217 tons bunkers for Adelaide.

REQUEST FOR A NEW HOSPITAL.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

An important meeting of the managing committee of the A.M. Hospital was held at the institution last night. Mr. W. G. Robertson occupied the chair, and there were present Messrs. R. Finlayson, T. Gray, A. O. Black, W. M'Kenzie, W. J. Wiseman, W. Evans, C. H. Hayward, E. H. Boys, J. A. Mayo (secretary), and the Rev. G. D'Arcy Irvine. The business of the meeting was to consider the advisability of selling the present premises, of utilising Garden Hill House temporarily, and of pushing forward the erection of the new hospital. Mr. Wiseman moved, Mr. M'Kenzie seconded, and it was carried,—"That a deputation be appointed to wait upon the Colonial Secretary asking for a sum of money to build a new hospital." Mr. E. Evans moved, and Mr. Boys seconded,—"That the member for the district be requested to arrange for a deputation of the whole of the hospital committee, with power to add to their number, to wait upon the Colonial Secretary as early as possible with a view of carrying out the former resolution." This was carried. Mr. C. D'Arcy Irvine moved, Mr. Hayward seconded, and it was carried,—"That authority be given the deputation to offer the present site gratis on consideration of a substantial grant being made towards the erection of a new hospital." Mr. Hayward moved, Mr. Finlayson seconded, and it was carried, "That the secretary be requested to confer with the president, vice-president, and treasurer to discuss and prepare the statistics necessary to enable those officers to place the views of the committee before the Minister." Mr. Black moved, Mr. Wiseman seconded, and it was carried, "That the deputation request a grant of £7500."

NEWTOWN PARK, NARRABRI.

NARRABRI, Friday.

The inquiry into the administration of Newtown Park was concluded at 5 o'clock to-day. Mr. M'Farlane expects to send in his report to the Minister for Lands by Monday. Mr. Malone, the managing trustee, has signified his readiness to pay the interest and principal amount involved.

COOMA P. AND A. SOCIETY.

COOMA, Friday.

The annual meeting of subscribers of the Cooma Pastoral and Agricultural Association was held on Tuesday at Dodds' Hotel. The president (Mr. J. A. Sellar) was in the chair. The chairman, who had been appointed delegate to the Associated Societies' Conference held in Sydney last week, gave a report on the conference, for which the meeting thanked him. The annual report of the committee expressed a hope that the cattle, agricultural, and poultry sections of the show would be made more attractive to exhibitors. Amongst other items mentioned in the report were the erection of a substantial sheep shed at a cost of £121, and promises of special prize money, amounting to £82, for next show. The committee asked its successors to erect a grandstand, luncheon room, and the necessary offices on the ground as soon as possible; to consider also the desirability of further impressing upon the Government the claims of the association to a fair proportion of the moneys distributed amongst the associations. The report was adopted. The treasurer's balance-sheet, showing a credit balance of £18 was read and adopted. The financial position of the society was very satisfactory, as the improvements effected during the year amounted to £131. The gate-money this year was £34 in excess of last year's takings. The following were elected as a committee for the ensuing year:—Messrs. Pearson, Backhouse, A. Litchfield, E. Litchfield, O. Litchfield, Saltar, Hill, J. Crisp, Land, Blaxland, Sands, J. Jardine, House, G. Fieler, S. Harnett, Ryrie, Scott, Montague, Searight, E. Harnett, Kauffine, Evans, Amery, J. Fellen, W. Stewart, and as auditors Messrs. G. Marshall and C. Hain.

BATHURST CATHEDRAL.

BATHURST, Friday.

In reference to the dispute between the parochial authorities of All Saints' Church and the Diocesan Synod regarding the establishment of a Cathedral Church in the diocese of Bathurst, an important meeting was held last night of parishioners to meet delegates from the Diocesan Synod and to consider the terms of the proposed canon for establishing a Cathedral Church in Bathurst. The delegates were the Hon. G. H. Cox, Messrs. C. D. Meares, G. H. Taylor, H. A. Crouch, V. Dowling, and A. E. Watt. After discussion, in which all the delegates took part, and the Hon. F. B. Suttor and Dr. Hurst spoke as parishioners in favour of the canon, Dean Marriott replied as representing the objectors. The canon was rejected by the parishioners by 84 to 32 votes, the result being that, in terms of the resolution of the Synod, the delegates now meet and confer as to the best site outside of Bathurst for the establishment of a cathedral. The rejection of the proposed canon means that the cathedral must be established elsewhere. The old canon for the establishment of a cathedral was passed in 1882, but was found to be ultra vires. Considerable local interest has been aroused, and a feeling of regret is expressed at the likelihood of the removal of the cathedral from Bathurst.

RIVER STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

WENTWORTH, Friday.

The William Davies, Colonel, Julia, Hero, and Maggie have arrived from Echuca; Tolarno and Pioneer from Morgan; and all have sailed up the Darling. The Victor and Emma have also sailed up the river. Moira, the first boat from the Darling, has arrived. The Corowa arrived from South Australia, and returned after visiting Mildura.

A CASE OF SUICIDE.

NARRANDERA, Friday.

Mr. J. T. Blackett, an old resident of Grong Grong, was found dead in his house a few days ago. An inquest was held, and a verdict returned that death was due to strychnine, self-administered. Deceased leaves a grown-up family.

THE SEASON.

GOULBURN, Friday.

The weather has broken. A few showers have fallen.

BOURKE, Friday.

The funeral of Miss Cora Faith Robinson, aged 19 years, daughter of Mr. W. Robinson, proprietor of the Oxford Hotel, who succumbed to peritonitis yesterday afternoon after a brief illness, took place this afternoon, and was largely attended.

At a public meeting held last night it was decided to celebrate Eight-hour Day on October 7 by holding a day's sports and concert in aid of the Bourke Hospital.

BROKEN HILL, Friday.

The Broken Hill Dog and Poultry Society opened its tenth annual show in the Town Hall this afternoon. The quality of poultry was first-class, but numerically the entries were not so many as of recent years.

COOLAMON, Friday.

There is an epidemic in the township and district of measles and influenza. A number of families are completely laid up.

COOMA, Friday.

The subscribers to the testimonial to Mr. E. J. Halliday, staff surveyor at Cooma, recently removed to Bourke, have decided to present him with a silver tea and coffee service, suitably inscribed.

Mesdames Galbraith and Goodling have undertaken to carry out the secretarial duties in connection with the forthcoming annual hospital ball.

The Minister for Works has withdrawn the notice inviting tenders for the erection of a bridge over the Murrumbidgee River five miles from Cooma. A large number of interested residents are consequently greatly disappointed.

It is not intended to establish extra mails between Adaminaby and Kiandra, also between Adaminaby and Cooma.

The result of the sale of hares from the drive held at Wambrook last Saturday was £1 11s, which sum was donated by Mr. Rouse to the Cooma Hospital.

The fee for letters to the Cooma Post-office has been reduced from 2d to 1d.

The Deputy Postmaster-General has advised Mr. Chapman, M.P., that telephonic communication to Kybean, Rosedale, Cowra Creek, Little Plain, Jingera, and Dry Plain, as urged by Mr. Miller, M.L.A., will have to remain in abeyance, as no funds are available.

At the Cooma Hospital meeting on Wednesday the president (Mr. W. Willmott), who just returned from Sydney, whither he went for the benefit of his health, was welcomed back. A letter was read from the Principal Under-Secretary stating that the subsidy to the end of last year, amounting to £141, had been placed to the credit of the institution. Mr. P. D. Murphy was elected to fill the vacancy on the hospital committee caused by the resignation of Mr. H. Stewart owing to ill-health.

The funeral of Mr. Bartholomew Mullane took place to-day, and was largely attended.

At the Cooma Literary and Debating Society's meeting on Tuesday Mr. L. Bosgard gave an instructive lecture on "Scandinavian Literature and Stage."

COONABARABRAN, Friday.

The Coonabarabran Railway League has forwarded petitions from the district asking for a trial survey of the route of the proposed Curlewis to Gilgandra railway.

DUBBO, Friday.

Mr. J. Douglass, head master of the Dubbo Superior Public School, has been appointed to the charge of the Orange school, and will enter on his new duties on September 1.

Mr. Froggatt, Government entomologist, visited Dubbo this week, and inspected several local tick-infested poultry yards. An official report will be made in due course.

A new switchboard with a capacity for 100 subscribers has been erected at the local telephone exchange, and has now 43 subscribers.

Police Superintendent Saunders made his annual inspection of Dubbo this week.

HAY, Friday.

The coroner held an inquest yesterday at Carrathool concerning the fire which destroyed a dwelling and contents, the property of Mr. John M'Grath, of Lyrebirry, last week. An open verdict was returned. The total insurances were £220, with the New Zealand Insurance Company.

An old man named John Crispin died suddenly at Benduck, a mail stage on the Hay–Balranald road. The coroner dispensed with an inquiry.

LAWSON, Friday.

Owing to the continued dry weather and the heavy consumption of water here this winter the railway supply dam is getting low, and the Commissioners are carrying out a gravitation scheme by bringing the water in pipes from Wentworth Falls, which will give a high-pressure service.

A meeting of the committee of the Mechanics' Institute was held on Thursday, when the following business was disposed of:—The consideration of new plans for building and fixing the dates of the show for January 25 and 26, 1901.

Mr. W. P. Wilson has been appointed trustee for the Grand Reserve, vice Mr. M. Haddon, resigned.

The work in connection with the duplication at Linden is being deterred for the want of horses and carts. Many men waiting for a job cannot be put on through this cause.

LISMORE, Friday.

A movement is afoot here to establish technical classes. Sufficient pupils are forthcoming to start 10 or 12 classes.

The Railway Department is inviting tenders locally for the supply of railway sleepers, any quantity, either sawn or split.

The Sydney mail was six hours late to-day, owing to a break down of the coach. Latterly the mail has been frequently late, and the matter has been brought under the notice of the Deputy Postmaster-General.

At the last meeting of the Lismore council the finance committee brought up a report, which was received, recommending that the trustees and the occupiers of the various residences of several church properties within the municipality in arrears of rates should be written to, making a special demand that the current rates be paid on or before the 30 days allowed by law. It was also recommended that the trustees should be informed that satisfactory arrangements must be made for the liquidation of arrears, otherwise legal proceedings would be instituted for the recovery of the same.

The Lismore Council proposes to obtain an American road-making machine on approval.

The accommodation at the post and telegraph office here is totally inadequate, and the member is to be requested to urge the erection of an additional room.

Messrs. Turner and Cutler, from the Public Works Department, have visited the town, and have completed surveys for the sewerage scheme.

LITHGOW, Friday.

Mrs. James, sen., mother of Mr. John James, J.P., Mayor of Lithgow, was buried yesterday afternoon in Bowenfels Cemetery. Deceased was 76 years of age, and arrived with her late husband in Victoria 45 years ago.

Another old resident, Mr. David Morgan, died yesterday, aged 76, having lived here for 21 years.

Mr. John Hurley, member for Hartley Vale, has been entertained at a complimentary social by his friends and supporters in Lithgow.

Several consignments of trout have been sent by the Fisheries Department for liberation in the streams of this district.

Influenza, which has prostrated so many in this town, is also reported to be prevalent in several places in the district.

An application has been made to the Curator of the Botanic Gardens for a supply of ornamental trees and shrubs for the Union Church grounds, Marrangaroo, where it is intended to hold an arbor day.

A public movement has been initiated at Hartley Vale, and a committee has been formed with the object of improving the condition of the local cemetery.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.

While riding home about dusk after witnessing a recent football match a young man named F. Neville, who resides with his parents in Liverpool, ran over a cow which was lying in the roadway, with the result that both horse and rider came down, the latter sustaining a broken arm and other minor injuries.

A successful social in aid of the funds of the local Presbyterian Church was held in the Presbyterian Hall on Wednesday evening last.

The excavations for the septic tank in connection with the asylum sewerage scheme are rapidly approaching completion, and the water-pipes are being laid to the tank from the asylum. The work is being carried out chiefly by local labour.

MOUNT VICTORIA, Friday.

A large number of small English trout arrived yesterday from the Fisheries Commissioners, and were liberated in the River Lett, seven miles from here.

MACLEAN, Friday.

The Lower Clarence Hospital annual ball was held on Thursday, and was the most successful for years.

MENANGLE, Friday.

Mr. Richard Hawkey, a resident of 44 years in this district, died last night of heart disease. For 15 years he was farm manager at the Camden Park Estate, but for the last few years has been a leading farmer. He was universally respected, and was held to be a model farmer. He leaves a grown up family.

MITTAGONG, Friday.

Mr. W. M'Donald has been elected alderman unopposed vice Mr. W. H. Cutcliffe.

MURWILLUMBAH, Friday.

In regard to the movement to incorporate Murwillumbah a public meeting was held yesterday and a league formed. The boundaries of the proposed municipality were fixed and a committee appointed to prepare a petition.

NOWRA, Friday.

Mr. Morton, M.L.A., has been advised by the Works Department that the petition lodged some months ago for portion of the Nowra-Nerriga-road at Nowra-hill to be metalled cannot be granted, the road being within the municipal limits.

Many cases of influenza have been reported this week.

NYMAGEE, Friday.

The Rev. John Walker has received here nearly £200 for the Centenary Fund.

The Rev. Joseph M'Dowell was solemnly inducted into the charge of the Presbyterian parish of Cobar and Nymagee by the Presbytery of Bathurst on Wednesday. The large new Presbyterian church was quite full. The Rev. J. T. Main, of Dubbo, presided at the induction, and addressed the newly inducted minister. The Rev. John Walker addressed the congregation. The Rev. A. M'Cook, of Warren, preached. The Masonic Hall was crowded in the evening at a conversazione, at which the local visiting clergy were present. Mr. M'Dowell was presented with a handsome Geneva gown, and Mr. Wood (the organist) with a gold watch.

NARRANDERA, Friday.

Mr. H. Malone post and telegraph master, has been appointed police magistrate at Milparinka.

ORANGE, Friday.

Mr. James Ferguson, head master of the Orange Superior Public School, has received notice of transfer to the Neutral Bay Public School. He will be succeeded by Mr. Douglas, of Dubbo. Both changes will take effect from September 1.

QUEANBEYAN, Friday.

A highly interesting and instructive lecture in connection with the Debating Club was delivered by Mr. Bosgard, of Cooma.

QUIRINDI, Friday.

The "Sydney Mail" pictures of the polo carnival and the disaster which occurred at the presentation of prizes are greatly admired.

The municipal council has received an offer for the trial of a new incandescent light from a Sydney firm for the purpose of lighting the streets, similar to the method adopted in Wollongong.

Mr. Hunter Hynes, a telegraph operator, who is going to Warren, received a pair of gold sleeve-links from the postmaster, Mr. Thomas Dickson, on behalf of the officials, and was afterwards entertained at a farewell musical evening.

TAMWORTH, Friday.

Alfred Cooper, head draper for the past 12 years at Treloar and Co.'s store, was presented last evening with an enlarged photograph of the employers and his fellow-employees prior to his departure for Bermagui, where he embarks in a business on his own account.

At a ball in aid of the fund for the purpose of erecting a memorial to commemorate the departure of local troops to South Africa a sum of £10 was cleared.

There is much sickness here, owing to the influenza being very prevalent.

WEST MAITLAND, Friday.

Mr. George Harris, sen., lies dangerously ill of pneumonia.

Influenza is raging in the Maitland district. During the past week six inmates of the Maitland Benevolent Asylum died.

The following well known residents also passed away:—Walter J. Waller, of Woodville; Mrs. M. J. Costello, Mrs. P. Ryan, Miss Burgess, at Gresford, Mrs. George Harris, and her son Arthur, aged 22.

WAGGA, Friday.

A man named P. J. Walsh met with a very serious accident near Yabtree. He had taken out a horse from the cart and let the shafts remain on the propsticks, going underneath the dray to lower the back propstick. When he was lying underneath the horse rubbed itself against the shafts, causing the dray to tip and pin Walsh by the thighs to the ground. Some women only were present. They tried to unload the dray, but its contents were too weighty. Walsh remained in the position 20 minutes before being extricated. He was brought on to Wagga for medical assistance. Both thighbones were broken, the muscles of the back were strained, and there are internal injuries. The contents of the dray weighed over a ton.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

Splendid entries have been received for the show next week. For the jumping events 33 horses have been entered.

Mr. S. E. Beaver, C.P.S., was tendered a send-off on Wednesday and presented with a purse of sovereigns and an address.

ROWING.

All the rowing clubs are diligently working up crews for the Rowing Association regatta, to be held September 21, and October 5, on the Parramatta River. Sydney will probably be well represented, certainly in the championships at least. The eight now being coached by Mr. C. L. Quist is Messrs. S. J. Daley, A. S. Burdekin, L. Bowyer, E. Heron, O. H. Bass, C. A. Smith, R. B. Fitzhardinge, and E. A. Pearson (stroke). Of the new men, Heron is a heavyweight, one who appears very powerful, and when he has learned a little more of the art of rowing he should be as useful in an eight as he is effective in a heavy sculling boat. Burdekin has had some experience, and may turn out a good man. Fitzhardinge has done well with Balmain club crews, and is a nice stylish rower. Daley was very successful a few years ago with the Mercantile club, but he has not rowed for two or three years, and is at present not quite up to his old form. The crew is not a heavy one, but it appears strong, and in a couple of weeks should shape well. At present the rowing is far from perfect. No doubt a very strong champion four will be formed for the second day of the regatta; also as this club has the only best pair oar boat in Sydney that should at any rate prove a win. It is understood Mr. J. J. Daley, ex-champion of the Mercantile club, will represent Sydney this season. He should get a comfortable win for the champion sculls.

The Mercantile Club will have teams for the maiden fours, junior fours, maiden eights, and champion fours, the crew for the last-named race being Messrs. Morrison, Hadley, Furlong, and Plumley, a light but good crew, which will have the advantage of using a new Nielsen boat, which is now being built. Mr. Dabelle was chosen as a member of the four, but his health is not good at present, so he has to stand out. Mr. Brigg, the newly-elected captain, is busy getting the fleet into first-rate order, and is showing any amount of energy. Mr. G. Holdsworth, who was treasurer, has become secretary, and the new treasurer is Mr. G. B. Young.

The Glebe Club has started work with a stylish champion eight crew—Messrs. Middleton, Farren, Gillies, Boylson, Paull, Strom, and M'Gregor. This crew if coached on proper lines will be very hard to beat, and should row in great form. Other crews will be for maiden fours, junior fours, maiden eights, and champion fours. Glebe has already secured 124 points this year, and will take a lot of catching, the next best being Mercantile, with 43 points.

The North Shore club will send crews for maiden fours, junior fours, maiden eights, and champion fours. The champion crew will be coached by Mr. J. A. Brotherton, and will include Messrs. Decent and Thomson, who represented New South Wales in May last. This will be a first-rate team by the race day.

The Balmain club has not yet managed to get crews together, but is almost certain to be represented in the maiden and junior races at the Association regatta, and may be able to get a champion four. At present a pair-oar handicap is the chief attraction at the club-house.

The Leichhardt club has maiden four, junior four, and champion four fixed up, and if a boat is obtainable will get a good maiden eight. There is a lot of energy at this boat-house just now, and strong efforts will be made to get good crews for the early regattas. The club has a very fine four, but no racing eight.

University Boat Club will be strongly represented at the Association Regatta, a special effort being made to once more win the Champion Eights. The crew in work under Mr. Helsham is—Messrs. Oxenham, Malin, Farran, Kendall, Stephen, M'Dougall (a Cambridge oarsman), Purves, and Hickson (stroke), with Mowbray as coxswain. U.B.C. will also be represented in other events.

False Pretences.—In the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr. C. N. Payten, S.M., Hjalmer Ekman, 21, seaman, was charged with obtaining an American flag from Orlando H. Baker, Consul for the United States of America, by means of a false pretence with intent to defraud, on July 20. The accused pleaded guilty, and elected to be dealt with summarily. He was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour. The same accused was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour for stealing a seamen's mission flag, value 30s, the property of Charles H. Moss.

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This week's "Sydney Mail" contains illustrations of the balcony disasters at Quirindi, with a sketch of the collapse as seen by the "Mail" artist, who was on the spot.—Advt.

THE WEATHER.

EXTENSIVE RAINS IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

GENERAL FALL IN VICTORIA.

The rain which set in in the south-west districts of New South Wales on Thursday morning has happily spread over more than half of this State, and many crop-raising localities, as well as pastoral areas, where a good fall was much needed, have had about an inch, some getting nearly an inch and a half. The showers so far have been heaviest in the Southern districts, and though Wentworth got 112 points, Carrathool 122, Gunbar 104, Wagga Wagga 98, Tumbarumba 140, Kiandra 155, Narrandera 133 (to midday) some places registered about half an inch, and others under one-third of an inch, showing the falls were patchy. Mossgiel up to 9 a.m. yesterday had received 92 points, and it was still raining. At that hour it was also showery at Barringun, Goodooga, Louth, Tilpa, Warren, and generally in the districts lying between Ivanhoe, Mount Hope, and the Murray. The Monaro district has participated in the change and yesterday forenoon the rain had reached the South Coast. These rains happening on the eve of several of the Riverina annual carnivals (shows, races, and minor events) the residents of the country will, while rejoicing at the improved prospects for a good season, spend their holidays more joyfully than they would had the downpour not have occurred. At Sydney and other coastal districts brilliant and warm weather has prevailed for some days. Yesterday afternoon the wet change was spreading towards the north-east.

The records were augmented considerably at many places after 9 o'clock in the morning. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon it was raining at Bourke, Condobolin, Cobar, Coonabarabran, Coonamble, Girilambone, Gundagai, Gulgong, Grenfell, Hillston, Junee, Kiandra, Pilliga, Wee Waa, Wellington, Wagga Wagga, Wyalong, Yass, Barringun, Bombala, Bungendore, Cootamundra, Euabalong, Goodooga, Marsden, Mount Hope, Narrandera, Queanbeyan, Temora, and elsewhere.

The rains have not been confined to New South Wales, for the reports from Victoria show that that State has had a general rainfall.

ADELONG, Friday.

Rain commenced to fall last night, and continued lightly at midday.

BATHURST, Friday.

Rain set in this afternoon, and has continued steadily ever since.

BOURKE, Friday.

A light shower of rain fell early this morning, registering 3 points. Further showers, accompanied by heavy thunder, fell during the day. It is still cloudy and warm, with a strong indication of a further fall. Light rain was reported this morning from Tilpa, Barringun, Enngonia, Hungerford, and Ford's Bridge.

BULLI, Friday.

Nice showers of rain fell to-night.

COOLAMON, Friday.

Rain fell during last night, coming from the N.E. It was showery up to noon to-day, to which time 63 points had fallen. The fall will be most beneficial to the crops and grass. Ganmain had 52 points and Matong 48. It appears from reports that the rain has been general throughout the back country.

COOMA, Friday.

Four points of rain were recorded this week. A downpour now would be very acceptable.

COROWA, Friday.

Twenty-six points of rain fell last night. To-day it was overcast, and rain, which had been threatening all day, commenced falling at 7 o'clock. It appears to be set in for the night. The fall, which is general throughout the district, will relieve it from the fears of a bad year. With the absence of frosts crops are now doing well. The rain will save them from total failure.

DENILIQUIN, Friday.

Several light showers of rain fell last night, registering 22 points. This afternoon a thunderstorm, accompanied by a heavy shower, occurred at 5 o'clock, registering a further 23 points. Heavy falls are reported from Wentworth, Darlington Point, and Moulamein.

DUBBO, Friday.

To-day it is cloudy, and showery at intervals. Very little rain has fallen.

FINLEY, Friday.

Splendid rain commenced last night. Thirty-six points fell up to 9 o'clock this morning. A sharp thunderstorm occurred in the evening, accompanied by a fine fall of rain. An additional 25 points fell up to 6 o'clock. It is still raining steadily. The prospects for the grass and crops are completely altered. A splendid season is now assured.

GERMANTON, Friday.

One hundred points of rain fell since last night. This will greatly assist grass and green crops.

HAY, Friday.

Good rains have fallen. At 9 a.m. Hay had 49 points, Darlington Point 130, Whitton 102, Uroonga homestead 140, Uroonga woolshed 100, Corrong 90, Tarwong 127, Waljeers 100, Culpataro 130.

HILLSTON, Friday.

Steady rain commenced to fall last night, 66 points being registered up to 6 p.m.

LITHGOW, Friday.

Portland reports that rain is badly needed for the domestic supplies, water having now to be carted from Wild Creek. Some time back a movement was initiated with the object of storing a water supply before the warm weather sets in.

Ligh rain fell this evening, and the weather appears unsettled. A good fall is badly needed.

LOCKHART, Friday.

The rainfall was 95 points.

MENANGLE, Friday.

A slight shower accompanied by thunder is just passing.

MILLTHORPE, Friday.

Rain began this afternoon. A good downpour is much needed.

MOLONG, Friday.

Heavy showers fell this afternoon. This will do an immense amount of good to growing crops, which were very backward in many parts of the district.

MOUNT VICTORIA, Friday.

Very light rain from the west occurred this afternoon. It was apparently the edge of a distant thunderstorm.

MURRUMBURRAH, Friday.

The rainfall was 40 points. It was showery this afternoon.

NARRANDERA, Friday.

Rain set in yesterday afternoon and continued; 130 points fell up to midday.

NOWRA, Friday.

Slight rain fell to-night.

ORANGE, Friday.

Light rain fell this afternoon.

PICTON, Friday.

To-day it is very warm and humid. Splendid rain began to fall this evening. It looks likely to continue.

QUEANBEYAN, Friday.

After a remarkably sudden change in the temperature, steady rain, registering 48 points, fell last night.

QUIRINDI, Friday.

The plains are in a very bad state. There was no herbage during the winter, nearly all the stock in poor places dying off. Unless rain shortly comes serious losses are anticipated. Early-sown crops look well, but those late sown require rain badly.

TEMORA, Friday.

Nice showers, totalling 100 points, fell last night and to-day.

WAGGA, Friday.

It rained steadily during the night; 98 points had fallen to 9 a.m.

Steady rain continued throughout last night and during a portion of to-day, registering an inch. Reports show that the fall was general throughout the Riverina. The weather is now warm, giving hopes of a further downpour. Outside the town the falls were heavier. Uranquinty reports 150 points, Darlington Point 120, Sand Creek 150, Kyamba 130. The rain was greatly needed, and more is wanted to ensure a good harvest. Many places were becoming short of grass and water.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

Rain began to fall to-day. This afternoon a very heavy shower fell and there are prospects of more rain.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

Last night 48 points of rain fell.

WENTWORTH, Friday.

Soaking rain has fallen here; 112 points. Tareena had 47, Cal Lal 56, Pooncarie 6. The falls were patchy.

WYALONG, Friday.

Warm rain set in last night, and about half an inch has fallen. More is promising.

YASS, Friday.

Light steady rain commenced to fall at intervals during last night. It has been showery all day, with every appearance of a good downpour, which is very much needed. It was beginning to look serious for the farmers and graziers.

REQUIEM MASS FOR THE LATE FATHER TIMONEY.

Yesterday morning a large congregation gathered in St. Mary's Cathedral, the occasion being a solemn dirge and requiem for the repose of the soul of the late Father (Captain) F. Timoney. The contingent which the deceased clergyman accompanied to South Africa—the Citizens' Bushmen's Contingent—was represented by Captain Mullins, and Lieutenant-Colonel Murray, and Major Freehill and other officers of the Irish Rifles were present. Cardinal Moran presided. The assistants on the throne were the Very Rev. Dr. Carroll, V.G., and the Venerable Archpriest Sheehy, O.S.B. The Gregorian music (unaccompanied) was chanted by a number of priests, among whom were the Revs. J. Sheerin, M'Carthy, C.M., Slattery, O.F.M., Ryland, O.F.M., Fitzgerald, O.F.M., J. Ryan, S.J., Bunbury, P. Le Rennetel, S.M., J. Carroll, M'Dermott, Treand, M.S.H., Brennan, S.J., Egan, Meaher, Piquet, S.M., O'Gorman, Coonan, M'Namara, T. Haydon, Boyle, C.M., Barry, Collins, P. Byrne, Dean Slattery, and others. Monsignor O'Brien was the celebrant of the mass, and the Revs. P. Byrne and J. Carroll respectively acted as deacon and sub-deacon. The Revs. Fathers Whyte and Phelan were the cantors, and the Very Rev. Dr. O'Haran acted as master of ceremonies. Immediately after the church function the priests present held an informal meeting, presided over by the Vicar-General, at which it was decided to call a public meeting, to be held in St. Benedict's Hall on Monday, the 26th instant. The object of the meeting is to promote some memorial to Father Timoney, and the laity will be invited to unite with the clergy in the matter.

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AMUSEMENTS.

HER MAJESTY'S.—"UN BALLO."

The revival of "Un Ballo in Maschera" by Mr. J. C. Williamson's Italian Opera Company attracted a great audience last night. The fact that Signor Roberto Hazon conducted the music ensured the dramatic interpretation of an opera which will always live by reason of that very quality. There is another element which accounts for the surprising freshness and vitality of this old work of Verdi's, and that is its exuberant animation. There really is not a dull bar in it, and when rendered as it was last night, with the best cast heard here during the past 15 years, its fascination is irresistible. The progress of the opera was naturally followed with more than ordinary enthusiasm.

Many operagoers will recall the production of 1883, if only for the sake of Miss Alice Rees (Mme. Max Vogrich), the Australian light soprano, who was so captivating as the Page. In 1887 Signor Hazon directed a revival which included another pretty Page, Signorina Rebottaro, with Signora Tagliavia, Signori Pimazzoni (Renato), Buzzi, and De Alba. Two years later there was a revival with Signor Dimitresco as the tenor—a charming singer. "Un Ballo" was last performed in March, 1892, at the Theatre Royal, with Signorina Guidotti, Signora Castiglioni, Signori Vilalta, Meinesi, Travaglini, and Iorio. Signor Maffezzoli directed this revival, which was of a commonplace character.

"Un Ballo in Maschera" is full of beautiful music and of striking ensembles, in which many conflicting emotions are expressed. The finale of the second act, for example, in which the tenor leads off with the gaily leaping air "Scherzo od è follia," as a preliminary to a quintet and ensemble, was encored with undeniable determination by the audience. This was largely due to the success of Commendatore Vincenzo Larizza in the role of Riccardo. The company is fortunate in possessing a dramatic tenor of so much power, and he sang with vigour and vivacity throughout the evening. Signora Lina de Benedetto was also seen to advantage as Amelia, the black velvet and lace costume of which she wore with dignity. The soprano was in excellent voice, and sang with the requisite emotional expression the great aria "Ma dall' arido stelo divulsa" in the second act, where also the unisonal passages in the great duet with Signor Larizza were given with splendidly sonorous effect. One of the sensations of the evening was made by Signor Bozzoli as Renato. The almost tearful pathos and resonant vocal tone he displayed in "Eri Tu" caused quite a furore, and the young baritone had to repeat his touching interpretation of the melting aria. "Eri Tu" is often heard in the concert room, where much is lost by the absence of harp and flute, and by the fact that the exact appropriateness of the music to the dramatic situation is not realised by the listeners. Signorina Marcomini's imperious gestures with the magic wand, and the ringing quality of her voice in the upper register, assisted her to giving an impressive rendering of the part of Ulrica. Signorina Vaccari was sufficiently volatile as Oscar, and sang brilliantly "Volta la terrea," whilst it need hardly be said that the audience was delighted with her "Saper Vorreste," one of the most popular songs in the opera. Signor Travaglini's rich and heavy voice was heard in the part of Samuelo, chiefly in association with Signor Tondini as Tomaso. The tragic bass entrances in the quintet and ensemble of act 2 already mentioned, and the mocking "ha-ha-ha" phrases in the finale of the third, were effectively rendered. The opera was richly staged, and was in every way enjoyable.

The scheme for the coming week consists of performances of "La Boheme" to-night and Monday, and also on Wednesday afternoon, and of repetitions of "Un Ballo" on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings, with "Rigoletto" on Thursday.

THEATRE ROYAL.

The last performance of Henry Arthur Jones's brilliant comedy-drama, "Mrs. Dane's Defence," in which Mr. Brough has made a noteworthy success as Sir Daniel Carteret, will be given at the Theatre Royal to-night. On Monday "Sowing the Wind" will be revived for five nights only, with the following cast:—Mr. Brabazon, Mr. Brough; Mr. Watkin, Mr. M'Intyre; Ned Annesley, Mr. Cecil Ward; Lord Petworth, Mr. Charles Garry; Sir Richard Cursitor, Mr. Ernest Vere; Attorney Deakin, Mr. Percy Walshe; Hon. Mrs. Fretwell, Miss Temple; Maud Fretwell, Miss Mary Chatteris; Bridget, Miss Helen Gibson; and Rosamund, Mrs. Brough. As Mr. Brough is now approaching the closing weeks of his season, he will resume his accustomed policy of quick changes. In this way "The Amazons" will be revived on Saturday next. The new pieces to be put in rehearsal will be "Lady Huntworth's Experiment" and "Sweet and Twenty," now running in London at the Vaudeville. In view of the heavy rehearsing for the new members of the company which these changes involve, and owing to his own delicate health, Mr. Brough will give no matinee performance until further notice. The box plan for "The Amazons" will open at Elvy's on Monday.

CRITERION THEATRE.

This evening, at 7.50 o'clock, Mr. Charles Holloway will produce, for the first time in Australia, the new romantic and military drama "Death or Glory Boys," by E. Hill-Mitchelson. New scenery by Mr. Edward Vaughan will show a Devonshire farm, the Horse Guards' parade ground, the interior of a gaol, and the African wilds. The story, which will deal with the regimental life of the 17th Lancers, will introduce Messrs. Chalmers, Stanford, Taite, Dunbar, Carey, Campbell, O'Neill, Misses Gresham, Burdette, Watts-Phillips, and Rose Holloway.

LYCEUM THEATRE.

At the Lyceum Theatre the spectacular drama, "Mariners of England," presents a stirring picture of the days of Nelson, tracing the latter days of the hero, and, in an impressive tableau, showing his death on board the Victory during the battle of Trafalgar. The piece is well written by the late Robert Buchanan, and is proving so acceptable that Mr. Anderson will not require any change for some time to come.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

This afternoon and evening, in the new programme for the week at the Tivoli Theatre, Mr. Harry Rickards will introduce Mr. Edgar Granville, an English "society entertainer," who has not appeared in Australia for four years and a half. Miss Marie Lloyd's short season is at its height, Mr. Alec Hurley will appear in his coster scene "The Lambeth Walk," and Mme. Bobe, Mlle. Lucretia, Messrs. Ernest Swallow, Lennon, Hyman, and Lennon, and other favourite artists will assist. Mr. G. W. Walker and Miss Ida May will reappear in their cakewalk.

PALACE THEATRE.

This afternoon the polite vaudeville entertainment at the Palace Theatre will include a reception for children, held after the matinee by Miss Josephine Gassman and her Louisiana Pickaninnies. Messrs. Henry Lee and J. G. Rial's new company has drawn crowded houses during the week. Mr. Charles Sweet as the musical burglar, Mr. Henry Lee in "Great Men, Past and Present," Messrs. Kelly and Ashby in their marvellous acrobatic turn upon a billiard-table, may be named amongst those who chiefly assist in this mirthful entertainment.

EMPIRE THEATRE.

Mr. John Fuller's Empire Minstrel and Variety Company will this afternoon and evening include the Leslie Brothers in "Wagner Outdone." Miss Hetty Warden, an English serio-comic artist, will join the company as well as Miss May Dagmar, whilst Mr. Will Stevens and Mr. Ted Herberte will make their reappearance. Messrs. Chas. Faning, Fred Bluett, and Denis Carney will assist.

MISS MAGGIE MOORE'S SEASON.

Miss Maggie Moore will open her season at the Lyceum Theatre next Saturday, after an absence from Sydney of nearly three years. It was in October, 1898 that the popular actress last appeared here, since which time playgoers will remember that she has visited Honolulu, San Francisco, several of the Western States, and Vancouver. Miss Maggie Moore returned to Australia last December, and has since toured Queensland, Tasmania, and Victoria, closing with a season at Newcastle under Mr. William Anderson's management. Mr. Anderson has formed a suitable company to support the comedienne, whose leading ingenue will be Miss Osgood Moore, at one time noted as a juvenile dancer. "Killarney," a new drama by an English author, will be produced next Saturday. The second piece of the four weeks' season will be "Struck Oil."

SYDNEY LIEDERTAFEL.

Next Wednesday evening the Sydney Liedertafel will give a concert at the Town Hall. Mr. Alfred Hill will conduct Felicien David's beautiful Arabian cantata, "The Desert," with tenor solos by Mr. Austin Craven, who thus makes his reappearance. Miss Hetty Holroyd, and Mr. Lawrence Smith have also been engaged, and Mr. Ernest Fitts will introduce a new song, words by Mr. Hugh Macdonald, and music by Mr. Alfred Hill.

QUEEN'S HALL POPULAR CONCERTS.

Mr. Percy Bates will give a popular concert at the Queen's Hall to-night. The favourite tenor will submit a tuneful programme with the assistance of Misses Kate Hancock, Crystal Hissitt, Messrs. W. Pursehouse, Rodda Perry, and S. C. Jeffcott.

TOWN HALL ORGAN RECITALS.

The city organist, Mr. Augustus Gehde, will give a recital at the Town Hall this evening, when he will be assisted by the artists named in another column.

SYDNEY COMEDY CLUB.

On Wednesday, August 28, the Sydney Comedy Club will produce the farcical comedy "Going It," at the Queen's Hall. The piece was originally written for J. L. Toole, and will be staged under Mr. F. L. Hodgkinson's direction, in aid of the Australian Ambulance Association.

THE MARIE NARELLE CONCERTS.

Mr. John Lemmone opens a tour of the south-western district at Young on Monday evening, after which his concert party visits the Riverina as far as Hay, the Monaro as far as Cooma, and then Bombala and the South Coast, closing at Nowra. As noted in another column, the party will include Miss Marie Narelle, Miss Lilias Appleby, Mr. Rodda Perry, Mr. B. E. Watson, and Mr. John Lemmone.

PIANOFORTE RECITAL.

A pianoforte recital will be given next Wednesday night in the Y.M.C.A. Hall by the Misses Lottie, Allie, and Alfreda Dearn, introduced by Miss Mabel E. White. Cards of invitation may be had from either Paling's, Nicholson's, or Glen's.

MR. LAWRENCE CAMPBELL.

Dickens's "Christmas Carol" will be recited at the Centenary Hall by Mr. Lawrence Campbell on Wednesday, September 11. This well-known elocutionist has not before been heard in the Christmas piece, and his rendering of the formidable "five staves" will be anticipated with interest.

TRAMWAY TO BEXLEY AND KINGSGROVE.

VISIT OF THE MINISTER FOR WORKS.

The Minister for Public Works (Mr. E. W. O'Sullivan, M.L.A.) made a visit of inspection yesterday afternoon to that part of the St. George Electorate known as Bexley, Stoney Creek, and Kingsgrove, with a view to obtaining information regarding an extension of the tramway through Arncliffe to those localities. The Minister left town by the 2.10 p.m. train, accompanied by Messrs. J. H. Carruthers and S. Smith, Ms.L.A., and was met at the Arncliffe railway station by about 200 residents, including the Mayors and aldermen of Rockdale, Bexley, Kogarah, and Hurstville, who were accommodated with nearly 50 vehicles for the purpose of driving over the routes proposed for the tramway. The proposal is the outcome of a public meeting held some months ago at the Bexley schoolroom, when the Bexley Tramway Extension League was formed, with Alderman Alexander Reid as the hon. secretary. The league and the local municipal councils have since made determined efforts to urge the extension of the tramway.

Mr. O'Sullivan, who was driven by Alderman J. H. Clayton, first visited The Towers, on the heights of Arncliffe, the residence of Mr. E. W. Esdaile, from the tower of which he was enabled to obtain an extensive view of the whole district. Mr. O'Sullivan expressed himself delighted with the magnificent panorama thus presented. The route of the proposed extension from the Cook's River terminus, along Rocky Point-road to Forest-road, and thence along Forest-road to Bexley, was also visible. Refreshments were provided by Mr. Esdaile, and the party then proceeded along the Forest-road to Queen Victoria-street at Bexley, where the Bexley aldermen waited upon Mr. O'Sullivan and urged the Government to grant a sum of money to place Queen Victoria-street in repair. The Mayor (Alderman Payne) pointed out that the road led to the Kogarah railway station, and as there was a quarry along the road a limited sum only would be required. Mr. O'Sullivan admitted that the claim was a just one, as it led to a railway station, and when unemployed were available he would consider their representation, but in the meanwhile their council clerk could place the facts before him in a letter. Stoney Creek-road was next traversed, when a halt was made at Broad Arrow Creek bridge, the danger of which was pointed out to the Minister by Alderman Charles Howard. The road, it was stated, was a Government road, and at the bridge the road was not in its proper position. Moreover, instead of being 66ft. wide it was only about 20ft wide. It was urged that a new bridge in a proper position was necessary. Ex-Alderman T. G. Smithson estimated the cost of a new bridge at £300, but Mr. O'Sullivan said he considered it would cost something like £700. He, however, could promise nothing, but if the facts were put before him in writing he would consider the matter.

The party then continued along the Stoney Creek-road to Belmore-road at Kingsgrove, near the Penshurst Park. The aldermen of Hurstville asked the Minister to give them a grant to continue Stoney Creek-road from Belmore-road to Forest-road at Bauman's-road. Mr. O'Sullivan's reply was similar to that given with reference to the request for the new bridge. It was proposed that the tram terminus should be at Belmore-road, but Mr. O'Sullivan did not seem to be impressed with the many arguments put forward in favour of the site. He said he considered it was rather too far away.

A return was afterwards made to Alston Park, where a marquee was erected, and the large company sat down to refreshments provided by the residents, and Mr. Pritchard, chairman of the Haymarket Building Company, who was also present with Mr. Barton (manager). The customary loyal toasts were proposed by the Mayor of Bexley. The toast of "The Ministry" was proposed by the Mayor of Bexley, who thanked Mr. O'Sullivan for his visit, and outlined the proposals for the tramway extension.

Mr. O'Sullivan said he was pleased to visit their district, which had been a revelation to him. He had certainly often travelled along the railway, but did not know what existed at the back. They undoubtedly had a good claim for what they had requested. He did not know a better means of investment than tramway lines opening up such building sites and serving as feeders to the railway. They had been told by the Railway Commissioners that the tramway to the Spit had been worked at a loss; but their bookkeeping and his differed, and he contended that they should go further than to merely credit the fares taken on that line, and some share of the 2d fares collected on the trams leading to the Spit line should be taken into account. There had been an increase of passenger traffic of some 25 million persons in consequence of tramway extensions by him. Referring again to the question of their tramway, their claims seemed to him to be reasonable, and he thought a tramway along the route they had pointed out to him that afternoon to a point would pay, and be the means of bringing out a large population to a healthy locality, he was, however, favourable to extending a tram line also to Lady Robinson's Beach, and thus give the working classes a cheap means of visiting one of the finest watering places in the State. He had a strong desire to take the tram there also, but there were two obstacles in the way. First they would have to wait till Parliament granted his vote before he could give a decided answer. Then the work would be estimated to cost about £300,000, and it would be necessary to bring it before the Cabinet, and then send the proposal to the Public Works Committee. They would probably meet opposition from the Railway Commissioners. He would like to be in their position for a year or two. They raised all sorts of difficulties. The Government should not be dictated to by the Commissioners in their policy. That very morning he had inspected the Miller's Point tramway extension, which would carry passengers two and a half miles for one penny. There was no cheaper means of transit in the world. To get over the difficulties raised by the Railway Commissioners as to insufficient motive power, he intended to put on votes to provide steam-power for the Manly line of tramway. The tramway extension they had asked for, to a fair point, would be submitted to his Cabinet, and he believed it would pass, as he knew of no place out of Sydney where they could get better building sites.

Mr. J. H. Carruthers, M.L.A., and the Mayors of the district each thanked the Minister for his visit, their remarks being received with great applause.

THE PALACE EMPORIUM FIRE.

During the past two days the public has been freely admitted into Gipps-street and Parker-street, which traverse the ruins of the Palace Emporium. Pedestrian traffic in these thoroughfares is not entirely free from danger, on account of the liability of portions of the premises falling. A great deal of activity is displayed by the police in keeping inquisitive persons from getting into particularly perilous places. The constables on duty find they have a great deal more to do in this way than when they had merely to guard the barriers in Pitt-street, George-street, and Hay-street. The well in the corner of the tower ruins is still full of water. It is regarded as possible that some human remains may be submerged in this receptacle. Contractors for the removal of debris and half-destroyed stock are busily engaged in clearing out the ruins. Burnt ironwork is, when possible, broken up before removal. Rescued textile fabrics are being bagged for taking away, or are sold in bundles to the public on the spot.

Many of those who regard the fire at Anthony Hordern and Sons' at the Haymarket as the most destructive of the kind that has occurred in Australasia will doubtless welcome a publication which has been issued by the firm concerned. The publication gives some information illustrative of the magnitude of the business done at the Palace Emporium, shows the series of huge structures as they appeared at the outbreak of the conflagration, presents scenes connected with the work of the fire brigades, and conveys an impression of the way in which A. Hordern and Sons have converted the Exhibition Building, Prince Alfred Park, into a business establishment.

TRADES HALL MEETINGS.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION COMMITTEE.

The Eight-hour Demonstration Committee met last night at the Trades Hall, Mr. A. M'Dougall presiding. It was resolved that the procession should assemble in the Domain and proceed through Queen's-square, and along Macquarie, Bridge, Pitt, Park, College, Oxford, Bourke, and Fitzroy streets, to the Royal Society's Agricultural Grounds. Eleven bands, headed by one of 20 performers, will lead the procession. An official luncheon is to be held during the day.

Mr. A. M'Dougall was elected to represent the committee at the Adelaide Eight-hour Demonstration to be held next month.

CONFECTIONERS' UNION REORGANISED.

A mass meeting of employees in the confectionery trade was held at the Trades Hall last night, with the object of re-establishing a confectioners' union. Mr. A. Wyatt occupied the chair, and the attendance was large.

Messrs. D. R. Hall, R. Hollis, W. Webster, Ms.L.A., J. Wilson, M.L.C., and others addressed the gathering, and made reference to the benefits of unionism.

It was unanimously decided that the union be reorganised, and a committee was appointed to draw up rules and regulations.

BOOKBINDERS' UNION.

At a meeting of the Bookbinders' Union, held at the Trades Hall during the week, it was resolved that an elaborate display should be made in the forthcoming Eight-hours' Demonstration procession. For the purpose of carrying out the proposal in a manner worthy of the trade, it was decided to seek the assistance of the paper merchants and master printers of the city and suburbs.

MEDAL FROM A CEMETERY.

A soldier's medal was brought to the "Herald" Office yesterday which had been found during the week whilst certain remains were being disinterred at the Devonshire-street Cemetery for removal to the new burial-ground at La Perouse. The medal was for good conduct and long service, and the inscription thereon showed that it was granted in 1837 to Thomas Harrold, at one time of the 50th Regiment of Foot, but subsequently connected with the police force of this colony. Harrold was buried in 1847, and his wife died the following year. The medal was placed in her coffin, and it and the remains of the ribbon to which it was attached were found on the grave being re-opened. The medal had undergone but trifling changes, and although it was much discoloured no difficulty was experienced in rendering the inscription visible. The ribbon was also in a remarkable state of preservation.

NEWCASTLE.

NEWCASTLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

The fortnightly meeting of the council of the Newcastle Chamber of Commerce was held at the Hall of Commerce this afternoon. The president, Mr. W. B. Sharp, occupied the chair, and there were also present:—Messrs. S. B. Levy, J. M. Hyde, A. Fenwick, H. Berkley, and J. B. Brown. H. Callen was unanimously elected a member of the chamber. A letter was received from the Australasian Chamber of Commerce, recently formed in London, stating that the new chamber had been inaugurated under the most successful and promising circumstances on July 4 last. It was the intention of the new chamber to work in active association with the whole of the Chambers of Commerce in Australia, with a view to extending and facilitating British-Australasian trade. The letter was received, and it was unanimously resolved to co-operate with the Australasian Chamber in London in every way possible.

A discussion took place in reference to the proposed construction of a line of railway to connect Merriwa and Cassilis with Muswellbrook, on the Great Northern railway. It was decided to support and advocate the scheme.

THE COAL TRADE.

The steamships Argus and Ikhona arrived from Sydney to-day to load a cargo of coal from the various collieries for Singapore and India respectively. The barque Aisla sailed to-day for Callao with 1848 tons of Duckenfield coal, and the steamship Cereda left for Port Louis, Mauritius, with 2742 tons of Rhondda coal.

The following coal laden vessels cleared at the Customs to-day for foreign markets:—Berwickshire, barque, for Coquimbo, with 1480 tons of Wallsend coal; Fifeshire, barque, for Portland (Oregon), with 1986 tons of Pacific coal; and Sophie Kirk, barque, for Valparaiso, with 1862 tons of Hetton coal.

In the inter-state trade the Handa Isle, schooner, sailed to-day for Wellington with 350 tons of coal, the steamship St. Mary left for Melbourne with 4400 tons, and the steamer Waihora took her departure for Wellington, via Sydney, with 800 tons. The steamship Winfield cleared at the Customs for Melbourne with 1100 tons bunker coal.

The average daily quantity of coal shipped at the Government hydraulic cranes at the Dyke during the present week was 10,471 tons.

SULPHIDE CORPORATION.

The weekly smelting returns of the Sulphide Corporation at Cockle Creek are as follows:—Ore treated, 840 tons, producing 438 tons bullion, containing 980oz. gold, 26,639oz. silver, and 4 tons copper. The shipments of bullion to London during the week include 195 tons by the steamship Mimiro, 200 tons by the R.M.S. Victoria, and 1670 tons by the R.M.S. Ortona. A parcel of 20 tons of coke copper has also been despatched to London.

The steamer Baltazan has discharged 100 tons of concentrates from the Broken Hill Central mine, to be treated at the works at Cockle Creek. The steamer Mintaro is due to-morrow with 850 tons of concentrates, and will be followed by the steamer Andania, with a similar quantity. Parcels of 50 and 26 tons of gold ore from New Zealand have been received ex steamships Elingamite and Mararoa respectively to be smelted.

ALLEGED ASSAULT AND ROBBERY.

A case of alleged assault and robbery was heard at the City Court this afternoon. Two men named John Malone, alias Butcher, 30, labourer, and William Smith, 32, plasterer, were charged with having in company on the 5th instant at Cardiff assaulted one John Strohfeldt and with having robbed him of £1 12s. The evidence for the prosecution was to the effect that prosecutor and the two accused had been together in an hotel at Cardiff. Upon the prosecutor proceeding to the back yard he was followed by the two accused, and a scuffle ensued. It was alleged that the accused Malone struck prosecutor on the side of the head with his fist, knocking him down on his back on the ground. Malone then held him down by placing his knee on prosecutor's chest, whilst accused Smith caught prosecutor with one hand by the throat. Both accused are said to have then rifled the pockets of prosecutor and robbed him of a purse containing £1 12s. After the robbery had been committed one of the accused is alleged to have struck prosecutor in the mouth, cutting his lip. Both accused were committed to take their trial at the September sittings of the Court of Quarter Sessions. Bail was applied for, but was refused.

THE WOOL TRADE.

The wool receipts at Newcastle during the present week amounted to 75 bales, making a total of 208 bales received since the opening of the season, as compared with 36 bales at the corresponding date of last year, thus showing an increase of 172 bales.

At the City Court to-day a dealer named George M'Kay, alias Fielder, 32, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour in Maitland Gaol on a charge of having stolen a Massey Harris bicycle, valued at £28, the property of Eric Brown. The cycle was taken from the verandah of the office of the Hetton Coal Company, Limited, where prosecutor is employed.

To-day's exports included 50 horses and two stallions for Port Louis, Mauritius, by the steamship Cereda.

The Newcastle Wharf Labourers' Union has resolved to refuse to complete the discharging of vessels when the work has been commenced by the crews. It has also been decided to urge the master stevedores of the port to decline to rent lighters to masters of vessels who employ their crews to discharge cargo.

The timber exports to New Zealand during the present week consisted of 1182 hardwood sleepers, 1450 spokes, 171 piles, and 494 pieces timber.

A team of 16 bowlers, representing the City Bowling Club, will proceed to Sydney to-morrow morning to meet the Chatswood Club in a four-rink match.

Four nominations have been received for the vacancy in the representation of Islington Ward, in the Wickham Borough Council, created by the recent death of Alderman Harry S. Brown. The names of the candidates are J. H. Brookes, W. C. Grahame, Henry O'Neill, and Thomas Butler.

The Newcastle Eight-hour Demonstration committee has issued invitations to representatives of the Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Broken Hill, and Lithgow committees to attend the forthcoming local demonstration and sports, and has agreed to allow each delegate expenses for two days. The president, Mr. L. P. Vial, has been appointed to represent Newcastle on the occasion of the Sydney demonstration. The action of the Mayor of Wickham in stopping all public meetings on the Islington Reserve on Sunday afternoons has been endorsed by the local municipal council. The Islington Reserve is the "domain" of the Northern district, and it has been the custom for many years past to hold political, religious, temperance, salvation army, and other meetings on the reserve every Sunday afternoon.

A consignment of about 170 tons of produce from New Zealand arrived by the steamer Waihora to-day.

The half-yearly financial statement of the new Lambton Council shows a credit balance of £87.

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT.

CASTLE HILL A. AND H. ASSOCIATION.

At a meeting of the council of the A. and H. Association the following executive committee was elected:—Messrs. T. J. Wright, W. Jagger, S. M. C. Black, E. Z. Banks, S. E. Allen, R. H. Lalor, and G. A. Muir. March 12 and 13 were selected as the dates for holding the 1902 show, and the executive committee was instructed to prepare the schedule of prizes and submit same to next meeting, also to supervise a number of improvements that were to be carried out on the showground. It was decided to join the United Agricultural Societies' Association, and the president, Mr. H. E. M'Intosh, was appointed to represent the association.

P. D. HOSPITAL.

At the last meeting of the committee of the Parramatta District Hospital it was reported that the institution had been registered under the Australasian Trained Nurses' Association, and would thereby be entitled to issue certificates to nurses trained in the institution who had passed the necessary examinations. Dr. Bowman, the president, notified that he was taking steps to have the required course of lectures carried out.

A GOVERNOR'S RESIDENCE.

A proposal has been made that the trustees of the Parramatta Park should offer to the State Government old Government House, in order that it might be renovated and used as a State Governor's residence. It is understood that a special meeting of the park trust will be called early next week to discuss the proposal. It is thought that, as Government House, Sydney, will be required as a residence for the Governor-General, the State Government might look with favour upon the proposal abovementioned, more especially as the site is a historic one, the early Governors of Australia residing there. There are 280 acres in the park, and a railway platform within 100 yards of the residence. Of course, if the offer were made and the Government accepted it, it would be necessary to expend a considerable sum of money before the residence could be utilised by the State Governor.

THE BAULKHAM HILLS TRAM.

The work of laying down the line of tramway from Parramatta to Baulkham Hills is being pushed on as fast as the supply of sleepers and ballast will allow, and that part within the town is now almost completed. It has been found necessary to strengthen Lennox Bridge, over which the tram passes, and a concrete arch 2ft. thick and 3ft. wide is being laid down. It is thought by many that the bridge will prove too narrow for the vehicular and tram traffic, and in all probability an agitation will be again started to have the bridge widened.

THE OAK AVENUES.

Year after year the fine old oak trees in the famous avenues of the Parramatta Park are, by reason of decay, being thinned out, and in some of the lines the gaps are becoming very noticeable. At last meeting of the Park Trust it was decided to apply to the Department of Agriculture for a supply of young oak trees to fill in these gaps. It was also decided to requisition for a number of camphor laurels, some avenues of which it is intended to plant.

GRANVILLE NORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Mr. D. G. Richardson, the head master of the Granville North Public School, has been promoted to the position of head master of the Waterloo Public School. Miss Phillips, head mistress of the infants' school, now promoted to the position of head mistress of the girls' school at Mosman, was on Friday afternoon the recipient of presents from the teachers of the Granville North School, the senior girls, and the infants.

LAND AT CARLINGFORD.

It is stated that since the running of the trains on the Rosehill-Carlingford railway a number of people have been on the lookout for suitable building sites in this pretty locality, but prices for land have risen considerably, and where a few months back land was quoted at the acre it is now quoted at so much per foot. Large landowners in this locality are asking £100 per acre for their land.

MISSIONARY LOAN EXHIBITION.

The exhibition lately held in St. John's parish, Parramatta, yielded over £15. The object was to give information and stimulate interest. The amount received from tickets, refreshments, &c., will, after deducting expenses, be given to missionary work and Sunday school wants.

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THE SHEARING SEASON.

During yesterday the secretary of the Pastoralists' Union of New South Wales received telegrams from a number of the members and district secretaries of the union containing information as to the progress of the shearing in various parts of the state.

Mr. F. L. Learmonth, of Bringagee station, Hay, says:—"Started shearing this morning under Pastoralists' Union agreement with 13 shearers. No disturbance whatever. More men will come later." A later telegram from Mr. Learmonth announced, "Strike off. Shearing full board. Wyvern's station also Pastoralists' Union agreement." The Wyvern manager telegraphed to his directors that he had started with a full board under Pastoralists' Union agreement without any trouble. From Tubbo, in the same district, the manager telegraphed:—"Shearing board now full—50 shearers." With reference to the shearing at Angledool station, Bourke district, information has been received from the manager to the effect that shearing is in full swing with 27 shearers under contract. Mr. R. R. Fowler, Curraweena, Bourke district, telegraphs that he had made a start with 14 shearers under pastoralists' agreement, and hopes to have 20 on the board by Monday. There is no fear of any trouble at this station. In connection with the shearing at Salisbury Downs, Bourke district, a letter received from the station, states that they "got a start under the P.U. agreement." A correspondent writes:—"The unionists tried very hard to get the men not to go on, but they stood firm and went to work without any trouble; the 'organiser,' as they call him, did not even stay to see the start. I have only 21 shearers on the board, but under the circumstances that is quite enough; they are all pretty good men." With reference to starting of shearing at Nebea station, Coonamble district, written communication from the station is to the effect that "about 20 shearers, who had received agreements, would not go on with their contract, but they withdrew in a quiet and orderly manner. Some of the men decided to shear, and it is expected to make a start with about 10 men, under the P.U. agreement. These men fully intend to go on with the shearing." The manager of the station says he expects to add to his number of shearers in a few days sufficient to fill the board. In any case, he says, he will successfully proceed with the shearing, even if he gets no more men. [Since the above was written the manager, Nebea station, has communicated the information that he has got over his difficulty, and that all but three men are shearing, all having signed the P.U. agreement.]

The manager of Kaleno station, in the Cobar district, writes:—"Made a start on Friday without trouble, notwithstanding that an organising delegate of the Shearers' Union was present and tried to induce the men to refuse to carry out their agreement. Fortunately he was not backed up by a mob of unemployed shearers, and there was not an extra man about. We are the first shed about here, so it is satisfactory so far."

FIRE AT A WOOLSHED.

The Premier yesterday was handed the following telegram received by the Inspector-General of Police:—"Senior-constable Kibble, of Wanaaring, has been informed by telephone that the Elsinora woolshed was set fire to on Thursday evening between 7 and 8 o'clock." It appeared from subsequent telegrams that the building was not destroyed. Wanaaring is 619 miles from Sydney and 113 miles by coach from Bourke.

DENILIQUIN, Friday.

Strikes which originally threatened to seriously interfere with the shearing industry throughout Riverina are becoming less frequent, the conflicting parties judiciously agreeing to a compromise. Mundiwa, Mathoura, and a few other stations which insisted on adhering to the Pastoralists' Union agreement have full boards. Chab Sing, Nyang, and Moolоomoon commenced under the same, but when the workmen rebelled reverted to a verbal agreement.

The local secretary of the Workers' Union states that Yanco, Bundygulum, Goolgumbla, Noorong, Nap Nap, Keri Keri, Windouran, Toogimbie, and others proposed the adoption of the pastoralists' agreement, but eventually gave way to the workmen, and presumably a verbal station agreement was arrived at, similar to that adopted at Warbreccan and Gonn. It was intended to call the roll at Boonbula and Tuppal to-day. No difficulty is anticipated at the latter place, where 200,000 sheep will give employment to 70 machine shearers for the next two months. Caroonboon and Tchelery commence next week. The general rate of wages is £1 per hundred for shearing and £1 to £1 5s per week for rouseabouts.

HAY, Friday.

Bank station, near Booligal, and Illilliwa Station, near Hay, have started shearing with full boards under the verbal agreements. The union shearers' camp at Darlington Point has been broken up.

HILLSTON, Friday.

When the roll was called at Cowl Cowl the shearers consented to a verbal agreement. The Willandra, Humbhewang, and Merrowie shearers refused to sign the Pastoralist Union agreement, and are forming a strike camp here.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE EDITOR.

Sir,—Once more I am constrained to put Mr. Macdonell right. He has several times accused me of "suppression of facts" in connection with the shearing agreement, but I have, so far, been successful in proving out of his own mouth that I am free of his accusations. He denied that the definition of freedom of contract, as embodied in the conference agreement of 1891, was ever agreed to by the shearers, and in the same breath he added, "although from the weakness of their organisation they were forced to accept the ultimatum of the pastoralists to have this definition printed on the agreement."

Although the shearers' representatives at the 1891 conference have since, early and late, denied that they ever "acquiesced" in the definition of freedom of contract, as embodied in the conference agreement of 1891, they have probably remembered the fact now disclosed by Mr. Macdonell, namely, that their denial of ever agreeing to "freedom of contract" was that they who had agreed to its definition objected strongly to such definition being printed at the head of the agreement. "This difficulty was solved," says Mr. Macdonell, "by adding the words 'This is the definition of freedom of contract by the Pastoralists' Federal Council of Australia.'"

The point is that this clause was added to the definition clause in the heading to the agreement. Mr. Spence and his co-representatives and others could declare that they had "never acquiesced in the definition of freedom of contract as embodied in the conference agreement," and they very seldom, or ever, added their now exposed reason. They concealed that their objection to placing the definition at the head of the shearing agreement as it stood was a fear that many of their members would condemn them for so doing, and contented themselves by declaring that they had never agreed to freedom of contract at the 1891 conference. It may be mentioned at this place that, at the conference, Mr. Spence, in reply to Mr. Abbott, the president, said "I repeat that we are prepared to stand by the fact that the definition of freedom of contract has been agreed to between us." The long debate at the conference on this point ended by an agreement between the parties to add to the definition clause. This is the definition of freedom of contract by the pastoralists of Australia—the president stating that the "pastoralists" were representing New South Wales only, but expressing the opinion that the agreement and clause would no doubt be accepted by the federal council for the whole of Australia.

There is only one more point I need refer to. Mr. Macdonell says that the reduction of rates was made in 1895, not in 1894 as I asserted in my last letter. The rates were published in April, 1894, and copy of 1894 agreement and rates were sent to the secretary of the Shearers' Union. In the reply received from the latter the following paragraph sustains my statement:—"That we must specially resist any reduction of shearing rates and the provisions embodied in the 8th clause of the proposed P.U. agreement."

Under the facts which I have stated I hardly think it necessary to refer to Mr. Macdonell's deductions for the year 1895. They cannot specially agree with those of 1894, and whilst the correspondent of the "Pastoralist's Review" is probably correct in his statements Mr. Macdonell must have got a wrong number.

I may add that Mr. Macdonell altogether misapprehends my ideas about the Arbitration Bill, and I greatly regret his disappointment at the fact.

I am, &c., WHITELEY KING.

THE BRUTON STOCK INOCULATING STATION.

The Minister for Agriculture has received a report from the Government Veterinary Surgeon, Mr. J. D. Stewart, M.R.C.V.S., in connection with a series of test inoculations that have been carried out at Bruton Stock Inoculating Station, Casino.

It will be remembered that a stock inoculating station was established with a view to maintaining a supply of thoroughly reliable "bleeders," so that protective inoculation of the valuable dairy and stud herds in this State could be carried out in a satisfactory manner should tick fever suddenly break out on this side of the border. Bruton Farm, which has been leased by the department for this purpose, comprises about 328 acres of well-grassed country, having an extensive frontage to the Richmond River and extending back so as to include some fine ridges. Mr. K. E. Ellis, Government Stock Inoculator, has been placed in charge, and operations are being carried out under Mr. Stewart's supervision. It was ascertained that a small number of animals that were treated over two years ago were no longer capable of producing reactionary fevers of the desired intensity, and arrangements have been made for their being replaced by fresh animals, so as to keep the supply up to the required standard. Before disposing of these animals, however, Mr. Stewart suggested that they should be injected with virulent blood to ascertain whether they still retained protection against tick fever. This was sanctioned by the Minister, and the rejected "bleeders" were inoculated with virulent blood, together with those animals that did not react to them. From the report furnished by Mr. Ellis, who carried out the inoculations, it is ascertained that while the latter animals suffer fever, the inoculation in no way affected the former. It therefore appears that although these "bleeders" have lost their power of reproducing the fever in other animals they still retain considerable protection against tick fever, and as over two years have elapsed since they were treated the result of this experiment considerably enhances the value of inoculation, and will no doubt be viewed with satisfaction by owners of cattle in this State. Mention is also made in the report of the assistance given by stationowners in the Casino district in loaning cattle to the department for the carrying out of operations.

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SHIPPING REPORTS.

(Continued from page 8.)

Custom-house.—Entered outward: August 16, Bombala, s., for Rockhampton, via ports; Waikare, s., for Auckland, via Newcastle; Whangape, s., for Wellington, via Newcastle.

Captain J. Fain reports that the Peregrine left Melbourne wharf at 6.10 p.m. on August 14, and cleared the heads at 9.20 p.m. Rounded Wilson's Promontory at 5.25 a.m. on August 15, Gabo at 9.10 p.m., Montague Island at 3.45 a.m. on August 16, Perpendicular Head at 9.26 a.m., and entered Sydney Heads at 3.50 and arrived at the Company's wharf at 4.35 p.m. Moderate northerly winds were experienced round the coast, with moderate sea.

PASSENGERS BY THE R.M.S. ORTONA.

The following passages have been booked by the Orient-Pacific Company's R.M.S. Ortona, sailing to-day for London, via ports:—Mr. R. Christison, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Stewart, Miss Martin, Miss E. Marton, Mr. William Smith, Mr. J. G. Gibson, Captain and Mrs. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Danbeury, Miss North, the Right Reverend the Bishop of Brisbane (Dr. Webber), Mr. and Mrs. W. Atkins, Mr. H. Winnall, Mr. John Mitchell, Mr. E. Hallenstein, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Walter, Miss Levien, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Wilkinson, Mr. Davies, Mr. C. W. Hay, Mr. George M'Kenzie, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cuthill, Mr. and Mrs. N. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Roag and 2 children, Dr. Millar, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whelan and child, Mrs. S. A. C. Stevens, Rev. J. K. Hutchin, Mrs. Hutchin, 2 children and infant, Mrs. Cooper, Mr. G. Orange, Mr. A. H. Thompson, Mr. I. R. Mawle, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hughes, Miss Hughes, Mr. Douglas Hughes, Mr. R. A. Luckham.

For Colombo: Mr. C. W. Booty.

For Fremantle: Mr. A. Brown, Mr. P. M. Woodhill, Mr. H. Moreau, Mr. W. R. C. Fox, Mr. H. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, Mr. C. W. Williams.

For Adelaide: Mr. W. E. Alexander.

For Melbourne: Mr. Rundle, Miss Rundle, Miss Jenner, Miss F. Jenner, Mr. A. W. Gilles, Mr. W. S. Knowles, Mr. Denshan, Mr. L. Deane, Mr. W. R. Bartham, Miss Golden, Miss F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ball.

PASSENGERS BY THE RUNIC.

The following is a list of passengers booked by the White Star steamer Runic, sailing at 2 p.m. to-day for South Africa and London, via ports:—

For London: Messrs. E. Spencer, E. C. Tucker, W. J. Slevin, H. Cripwell, E. M'Fadden, J. E. Delooze, A. J. M'Connell, Miss Haines, Miss Weil, Mr. W. R. Brown, Mr. R. Yates, Miss N. May, Mrs. Everest, Mrs. Searby, Mrs. Slevin, Mrs. Hurley, Mrs. M. Brown, Mrs. Butler, Miss Hedsley, Mr. Davis, Mrs. Davis, Miss E. Lomax, Mrs. Templeman and infant, Mrs. Smith and family (3), Mrs. J. Lomax and 3 children, Mrs. Tease, Mr. J. Stubbington, Mrs. Stubbington, Miss L. Francis, Miss J. Green, Master Edward Green, Mr. C. Francis, Mrs. Francis, Misses Francis (2), Mrs. Ellison, Miss E. Ellison, Mr. A. M. Hutton, Mrs. Hutton, Mrs. Watterson, Miss Bould, Miss Ellis, Mrs. Wynyard, Miss Wynyard, Mr. W. Knuston, Mr. C. Ellison, Masters P. Templeman and C. Templeman, Messrs. G. Oetzman, W. Smith, W. Shires, J. Begg, E. Obus, A. Parkes, W. B. Baron, A. Mullard, G. Erikson, R. Callinan, L. Ball, W. Lamb, E. Marner, G. Lamb, C. T. Fuller, E. C. Pomeroy, A. Waity, T. H. Willmorr, H. Wardlaw, Mrs. Wardlaw, Master Wardlaw, Mrs. Packburn, Miss Prewitt, Miss Lynne, Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. Wheeler, Misses Wheeler (2), Master Wheeler, Mr. J. Lund, Mrs. Lund, Mr. A. Pearson, Mrs. Pearson, Miss Lott, Mrs. Smart, Mr. S. Horne, Mrs. Horne, Mrs. Spencer, Miss Spencer, Mrs. Croaker, Mrs. Smart, Misses Smart (3), Mr. H. C. Smart, Master Smart, Miss Gillingham, Messrs. E. Holliday, F. Goodwin, W. Wheeler, A. M'Kinnon, W. A. Kirkpatrick, A. Smith, F. E. Stonebanks, W. F. White, A. Searby, E. Searby, H. Searby, G. A. Coleman, G. H. Brookes, W. S. Phillips, E. Phillips, J. Marriott, J. Jennings, W. H. Symonds, J. H. Corbett, M. Gallingham.

For Capetown: Mr. F. A. Gray, Messrs. A. S. and G. Ryder, Mr. J. E. Kasnatsedter, Mrs. Cook, Miss Johnston, Mrs. C. Gibson, Miss Linda Gibson, Mrs. M'Lean, Mr. Carmichael, Misses Carmichael (2), Miss Wilson, Misses Kennedy (2), Mrs. Shaw, Miss Mickelmore, Miss J. Doyle, Mrs. S. Hemmelhock, Messrs. R. Kennedy, A. Butler, W. E. Taylor, H. Leonard, F. W. Summers, A. Mulville, A. D. Flasto, A. J. Curtis, J. Foster, G. Thompson, C. Gibson, C. Hetter, L. Thompson, E. Greenwood, C. J. Shaw, A. Rattray, S. Dent, J. H. Neale, W. Price, W. M. Price, W. Laws, A. F. Hardie, E. Wemonger, Mrs. Retter.

For Melbourne: Mrs. Frencham, Miss Ruby Frencham, Mr. R. Jennings, Mr. J. C. Tonkin, Mrs. F. Gaffney, Mrs. P. A. Douglas.

DEPARTURE OF THE RUNIC.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock Messrs. Dalgety and Co., Limited, will despatch the steamer Runic, of the White Star Line, for Capetown, Plymouth, and London, via Melbourne. Despite the fact that the present is the off season both for cargo and passengers, the steamer is fully booked with general cargo, while there are some 150 passengers engaged. Among the principal lines of cargo are:—1300 bales wool, 2000 crates rabbits and hares, 500 sacks flour, 2521 sacks wheat, 1400 barrels cocoanut oil, 558 casks oil, 400 tons shale, 7 cases tobacco, 1810 sacks copra, 12 bales lurakins, 40 bales leather, 741 ingots tin, 1350 hides, 200 sacks hides, 3 casks skins, 20 bales 7 bags horns, and 58 bales gluepieces. At Melbourne the balance of the cargo space will be filled, while a large number of passengers will also join the steamer at that port.

WARNING TO SHIPMASTERS.

The pilot at Forster yesterday wired to the Department of Navigation:—"8ft. 6in. water on the bar at high water. The bottom of the wrecked schooner Empress of India has come into the harbour, and is now lying nearly across the Tuncurry crossing channel, leaving a narrow channel between the end of the wreck and the south beach. A small green buoy has been moored on the wreck. Masters of vessels should use great caution when passing the green buoy to keep as close to the north beach as possible. Masters of vessels should not try to come over the crossing with a strong flood tide. There is 9ft. of water in the channel between the wreck and the north beach, and 6ft. of water on the wreck at low water."

GERMAN MAIL STEAMERS.

The Darmstadt is due in Southampton from Sydney, via ports, on the 20th instant.

The Oldenburg is due in Colombo en route from Sydney to Bremen on the 20th instant.

The Prinz-Regent Luitpold leaves Sydney for Bremen, via ports, on the 24th instant.

The Weimar is due in Colombo en route from Bremen to Sydney on the 17th instant.

The Karlsruhe leaves Southampton for Sydney, via ports, on the 19th instant.

The Stettin leaves Sydney for Singapore, via ports, on the 21st instant.

The Noen Tung is due in Hongkong from Sydney, via ports to-day.

THE JAPAN MAIL LINE.

Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, advise the following movements of the steamers of the above line:—

The Yawata Maru arrived here from Japan, via ports, on Wednesday last. She sails for Melbourne to-day in continuation of her trip from the East, and is due back to take up her loading for the East on the 23rd, sailing finally from here on the 29th instant.

The Kasuga Maru left Nagasaki yesterday, and is due at Hongkong on the 20th, Manila on the 26th, Thursday Island on September 3, and Sydney on September 11. She leaves here for Yokohama, via ports, on September 26.

The Rosetta Maru is due at Manila to-day, Hongkong on the 21st and Yokohama on September 1. She leaves there on September 13, and is due at Sydney on October 16.

For Children's Hacking Cough at night, Woods' Great Peppermint Cure, 1s 6d.—Advt.

LAW REPORT.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16.

BANCO COURT.

(Before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Owen, and Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson.)

EQUITY APPEAL.

Fraser v. Fraser and others (part heard).

Mr. Lingen, instructed by Messrs. Perkins and Fosbery, appeared for the plaintiff, Ewan Richards Fraser, appellant; Mr. Langer Owen and Mr. Sheppard, instructed by Mr. William Russell, for the defendants, who are the trustees of the will of the late Hon. John Fraser, M.L.C., of Quiraing, Woollahra; Mr. Gordon, instructed by Messrs. Perkins and Fosbery, for defendants Jessie Mary Seymour Fraser and Charles Burton Fairfax; Dr. Cullen, instructed by Messrs. Perkins and Fosbery, for Mary Florence Fairfax; and Mr. Adrian Knox, instructed by Messrs. Metcalfe and Dangar, for the infants, James Griffyth Fairfax and John Ewan Fraser. This was an appeal by the plaintiff from so much of the order of Mr. Justice Walker, dated June 25 last, as declared that in the events which have happened the Hon. John Fraser (testator) died intestate as to one half of the one-sixth share of his residuary estate devised and bequeathed by his will on trusts in favour of the late Arthur Griffyth Fraser, and from the declarations consequent thereon.

The argument on the appeal was resumed and concluded, and the Court reserved judgment.

CASE POSTPONED.

Pedersen v. O'Sullivan.

Mr Edwards, instructed by Messrs. Chenhall and Eddie, appeared in support of the demurrer, and applied that the case be allowed to stand over generally, as it was expected that a settlement would be arrived at. The plaintiff, Andreas Pedersen, had commenced an action against the Government for compensation for land resumed by the Government for purposes of the Western Suburbs Drainage Works, and to his declaration defendant had demurred on the ground that no valuation of the land had been made as required by the Acts or notified to plaintiff, and that therefore the amount of compensation to which he was entitled could not be determined or tried in the matter. The plea was dismissed on the ground that neither the valuation nor notification was necessary to enable plaintiff to sue. The Crown consented to the application, which was granted.

BANCO COURT No. 2.

(Before Mr. Justice Stephen, Mr. Justice Simpson, and Mr. Justice Cohen).

RIGHT OF A MARRIED WOMAN TO HOLD A CONDITIONAL PURCHASE.

Re Honora Luke (Minister for Lands respondent) (part heard).

Mr. Pilcher, K.C., and Mr. Pike, instructed by Messrs. Hughes and Hughes, appeared for the applicant, Honora Luke; and Dr. Sly, Mr. Hanbury Davies, and Mr. Canaway, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, for the respondent, Minister for Lands. This was an application for a writ of mandamus commanding the Minister for Lands to register in the books of the department the transfer of a conditional purchase forming portion of the estate of Alfred Luke to Honora Luke. It appeared that in 1890 Luke took up a conditional purchase of 160 acres of land in the district of Narrandera, but in October, 1894, his estate was sequestrated. In November of the same year the conditional purchase was offered for sale at Narrandera by the agents of the official assignee, and Honora Luke, wife of Alfred Luke, purchased the land out of moneys belonging to her separate estate. She subsequently applied to have her name registered in the books of the Lands Department as the holder but the Minister for Lands refused to register, on the ground that applicant had made a conditional purchase within section 47 of the Land Act of 1889, and that, not being a married woman living apart from her husband under an order of a Court of competent jurisdiction, she was not entitled to be registered as the holder of a conditional purchase or the transferee thereof. The applicant now applied for a mandamus, and it was contended in her behalf that she was not a conditional purchaser within section 47 of the Act of 1889, inasmuch as she was not the original applicant, but the transferee at a Sheriff's sale; and that even if she was a conditional purchaser, there was nothing in the section to take away her right to hold the land which she would have under the Crown Lands Acts, apart from the section referred to.

Mr. Justice Stephen said that during the luncheon interval he had given very careful consideration to what he might fairly term an obscure section of the Act, and one which had manifestly given rise to very great difference of opinion, and had unfortunately caused a divergence of views on the Bench. That being so, he gave his opinion with the greatest possible diffidence and hesitation, necessarily arising from the difficulty of construing the 47th section of the Act of 1889. It was impossible to penetrate the dark recesses of the minds of the Legislature in regard to the section, and all one could do was to put the argument on one side against that on the other and decide upon the balance of argument. He did not see any other way of arriving at a decision because he could not say one way or the other what the law was. There was no doubt that when the Act of 1889 was passed a married woman was entitled to become a transferee of land, and particularly if she had a separate estate; but the Legislature, seeing the evils that might possibly arise from this state of the law passed the 47th section of the Act of 1889. That section enacted, "Any married woman who shall, under an order for judicial separation made by any Court of competent jurisdiction, be living apart from her husband, may, out of the moneys belonging to her for her separate use, purchase or lease land conditionally or otherwise," and then the section went on to say, "And such land shall form part of her separate estate, and she shall have the same powers of dealing with and disposing of the same both at law and in equity, as if she were a femme sole." Then came the following exception, "Except as aforesaid a married woman shall not be entitled to lease or conditionally purchase Crown land under the principal Act or this Act." By the first portion of the section a married woman living apart from her husband, &c., might purchase land originally and also derivatively, at least it was not contended to the contrary, and had the section stopped there doubtless it would have left the ordinary position of a married woman where it was, but what the Legislature seemed to say by the exception, which he had already read, was that though they allowed a married woman living apart from her husband under an order for judicial separation to take up land, it must be understood that a married woman ordinarily should not be so entitled—that was to say, to purchase either originally or derivatively. In other words, the prohibition was co-extensive with the privilege, and the same words were used, except that in one case it said "purchase conditionally," while in the latter part of the section the words were "conditionally purchase." Then came the proviso, and that, he thought, must have reference to the previous clause commencing "except," &c., which exception dealt with Crown lands, and allowed a married woman, nevertheless, to hold or purchase. In other words, the Legislature, considering that they had, by the excepting clause, disentitled a married woman from holding or purchasing generally, introduced the exception of a holding under a will or an intestacy. That proviso which was connected with the excepting clause of the section, dealt with devolution by will or intestacy from a deceased holder, and showed therefore that the section (including the exception and proviso) referred to lands under the designation of "Crown lands," as those which had been originally purchased. It might be that if they gave the very strictest interpretation to the words "conditionally purchased Crown lands" it would no doubt favour the view taken by Mr. Pilcher, but considering the whole of the section, and the obvious intention of the Legislature that only a married woman living apart from her husband could hold land, except under other specified circumstances, he thought his construction of the section carried out the intention of the Legislature. He thought the Legislature clearly intended to exclude from the Act married women living with their husbands, and to prevent them from selecting land conjointly with their husbands, or obtaining land from others who originally selected it, and if the law were otherwise it would enable married women to take up land and transfer it to their husbands. For these reasons he thought the mandamus should be refused.

Mr. Justice Simpson said there was no doubt that before the passing of the Act they were considering a married woman living with her husband, and having a separate estate, could become the transferee of a conditional purchase. That was so decided in the case of ex parte Melville, and it being clear, as he thought it was, that a married woman having a separate estate could become a purchaser and consequently the holder of a conditional purchase they had to consider whether that right had been taken away by the Act of 1889. If a statute was so indefinite or uncertain that it could be construed in two ways, then, in his opinion, that construction should be adopted which did not in effect take away clear existing rights. In his opinion there was nothing in the 47th section except in the proviso to take away the right of a married woman to hold land as a transferee if it was not purchased out of her separate estate. No doubt the words of the proviso created a great deal of difficulty, but at the same time he could not take upon himself to say that the intention of the Legislature to take away the right was to be gathered from the terms of the proviso. It might be that they intended to take it away, but if so they had not expressed their intention in such a way as would enable the Court to give effect to that intention. For these reasons he was of opinion that the contention of Mr. Pilcher was the correct one, and that a married woman out of her separate estate, though living with her husband, might become the holder of a conditional purchase from the sheriff and actually hold that purchase. If the Legislature had not intended that to be the law they could easily have expressed their intention definitely. He gave his decision with considerable hesitation, seeing that his view of the matter was not that taken by Mr. Justice Stephen.

Mr. Justice Cohen said he concurred with Mr. Justice Simpson, and thought the preponderance of argument was in favour of the position urged by Mr. Pilcher. He could not see that section 47 either expressly or by necessary intendment took away from a married woman the right which she possessed prior to the passing of the Act of 1889, and that being so he was of opinion that there was nothing in the section to deprive a married woman of the right to become the transferee out of her separate estate of an original conditional purchase. During the luncheon adjournment he had carefully read the judgment of the late Mr. Justice Windeyer and Mr. Justice Innes in the case of ex parte Margaret Ousby, and under the circumstances now before the Court he had come to the conclusion that applicant could become a transferee by sale from the sheriff of an original conditional purchase, the transfer being effected through moneys provided from her separate estate.

Application granted, and writ of mandamus to issue.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Cohen.)

CASE UNDER THE DISTILLATION ACT.

Attorney-General v. Rozier and Fournier.

Mr. Hamilton, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared for plaintiff, and moved for leave to withdraw judgment against the defendants, which was signed for want of a plea. The action in each case is one brought by the Attorney-General under the Distillation Act for the recovery of penalties for alleged breaches of that Act. The defendants, George Rozier and Charles Fournier, were brought before the Court some time ago under the 116th section of the Act for the purpose of furnishing bail, but this not being forthcoming they were held in custody pending the hearing of the case or finding bail. The Crown having since been advised that the information referred to in section 116 was an information by the Attorney-General ex officio, and that the judgments had therefore been wrongly signed, and were not in accordance with the proper practice in this connection, it was desired to withdraw them. The defendants appeared under habeas corpus, and the nature of the application having been explained to them they did not oppose it.

Application granted.

PROBATE COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Walker, Probate Judge.)

PROBATES AND ADMINISTRATIONS.

Probate was granted to the wills of the following deceased persons:—John Cormal, Benjamin Jenkins, George Barry, Richard M'Auley, Thomas J. M'Carthy, Richard Warren, Angus Friederich, Michael B. Ryan, Thomas H Kelly, Isabel Martha Osborne, John Charles Sutton, Richard G. Valliack, Samuel Walder, Richard White, Matthew Shanahan, Maurice J. Parker, James Morrow, William Scott, and Samuel Dean.

Letters of administration were granted in the following estates:—Mary F. J. Lockyer, John C. Crokasthorp, Joseph Taylor, William Richards.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Arthur Henry.)

HEARING OF CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Dalton Brothers v. John Ellis.—Mr. Levy, instructed by Mr. F B Freehill, appeared for the petitioning creditor; Mr. Quinlan for the respondent. Mr. Levy asked for an adjournment to enable the executors of the petitioning creditors' estate, when probate was obtained, to carry on the petition. Mr. Quinlan opposed the application on the ground that there was no provision in law by which the executors could carry on the petition. He therefore asked that the petition be dismissed. The Registrar held that he could not allow an amendment of the petition by substituting the executors for the original petitioner, and therefore dismissed the petition, but without costs.

Julia Musgrove v. Joseph Wilson. Mr. Barnes appeared for the petitioning creditor. Order made sequestrating the estate of respondent, and Mr. L. T. Lloyd appointed official assignee.

A.J.S Bank, Limited, v. James Lawford. Mr. C. Cowper appeared for the petitioning bank. Order for sequestration made, and Mr. N. F. Giblin appointed official assignee.

Oldham and Dribble v. Richard Briant. Mr. Moffitt appeared for the petitioning creditors. Order made sequestrating respondent's estate, and Mr. L. T. Lloyd appointed official assignee.

Australian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, v. Richard Chapman. Mr. C. Cowper appeared for the petitioning creditors, and moved for an order of sequestration. Order made, and Mr. W. H. Palmer appointed official assignee.

Alcock Brothers and others v. Thomas W. Bollard. Mr. Mackenzie (Bowman and Mackenzie) appeared for the petitioning creditors. It was stated that the debt had been paid in full, and the petition was therefore withdrawn.

EXAMINATION UNDER SECTION 30.

Re Cecil William Mountessey Huband-Smith and Edward W. J. Huband-Smith. Adjourned to the 23rd instant.

Re John Rapson. Two witnesses were examined and the examination closed.

SEQUESTRATIONS.

Harry Styles, of Hillgrove, miner. Mr. W. H. Palmer, official assignee.

Simeon Solomon Moses, of Bourke, late hotelkeeper. Mr. W. H. Palmer, official assignee.

CREDITORS' PETITION.

W Gardiner and Co., Limited, of Sydney, v. Ernest Tully, of Grafton. Petition to be heard on August 26.

Zenas Crane Reense, of Mutual Life of New York Buildings, Martin-place, Sydney, v. Clarence M'Ivor, of 23 Kent-street, Waverley, stock expert and journalist. Petition to be heard on August 23.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Docker.)

TRANSVAAL COINS.

Lewis v. Taylor.

Mr. C. Delohery, instructed by Mr. A. H. Delohery, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Gannon, instructed by Mr. W. S. Gray, for the defendant. This was an action in which William David Lewis sued James Taylor for the recovery of £25, the value of certain coins issued by the late Republic of the Transvaal, and entrusted by him to the defendant in South Africa. The case for the plaintiff was that he was a member of the Army Medical Corps of New South Wales, and in October last year was in South Africa. During his period of duty in that country he saw the defendant at Heidelberg. The latter was about to return to Australia, and plaintiff gave him a number of Kruger sovereigns, half-sovereigns, and other coins, as well as three English sovereigns and certain trinkets, with a request that defendant would deliver them to his (plaintiff's) wife. The articles were placed in a pouch, and defendant placed them in a pocket of his khaki tunic. Defendant returned to Australia, but did not deliver the articles to plaintiff's wife. Plaintiff estimated their value at £25 or £26. The defence was that defendant was robbed of the goods while he was asleep after he arrived at Capetown, and before he set sail for Australia.

His Honor found a verdict for the defendant.

COURT OF MARINE INQUIRY.

(Before Judge Backhouse, and Captains J. V. Hall and Mackenzie, as assessors.)

WRECK OF THE ALEXANDER BERRY.

FOUR LIVES LOST.

The Court of Marine Inquiry investigated the circumstances connected with the total loss of the drogher, Alexander Berry, on July 1 last. Mr. Cargill appeared on behalf of the Superintendent of Navigation; Mr. Thompson, of Messrs. Richardson and Thompson, appeared for the South British Insurance Company, the underwriters of the Alexander Berry; Mr. F. S. Boyce, instructed by Mr. I. C. Creswell, represented the widow of F. J. Marshall, master of the Alexander Berry; and Messrs. Sly and Russell appeared for the owners of the vessel, the Illawarra Steam Navigation Company.

Mr. Cargill explained the circumstances connected with the loss of the vessel. He said the drogher was ordered to go from Crookhaven to Merimbula. She left Crookhaven on June 29 between 10 and 11 o'clock in the morning. As soon as she got into the open the captain found a heavy swell, and having got as far as Beecroft Head, he turned back to take shelter in what was known as "Abraham's Bosom." The Alexander Berry remained there up to 3 o'clock on the Saturday afternoon, and started again, but as the wind freshened and the sea rose considerably, it was deemed advisable the following day (Sunday) to keep closer in shore under the shelter of the land. Everything went well until 8 o'clock on the Sunday night, when the look-out man reported that the cable was gone. As steam was up, the engines were sent full speed ahead to keep the vessel off the rocks. Although she made very little headway, she kept her position until shortly after midday on Monday, when one of the crew reported that the rudder head was gone. The vessel now became unmanageable. A jib was hoisted, but was blown away almost immediately. A temporary jib made of blankets was fixed up, and kept the vessel off shore. The Alexander Berry dropped away to the north during the night, and at 5 o'clock in the morning the Kiama light was sighted. A red blanket was tied on to the mast to draw attention to the fact that they wanted assistance. No assistance came. The vessel drove ashore on Bass Point about 7.30 a.m. and broke in half. Captain Marshall, Engineer Bartlett, and John Pratt and Jans Kopt, sailors, were drowned, the only man saved being a seaman named Walter Sydney Pearce.

The latter was called, and gave evidence corroborative of the statement made by Mr. Cargill, and similar in every way to the facts contained in an interview with Pearce, obtained the day after the disaster, and published in the columns of the "Sydney Morning Herald."

Evidence was also given by Hubert Manning, manager of the Illawarra Steamship Company, Archibald Fletcher, marine superintendent of the company, Charles Lamond, shipwright, and Walter Elliott, formerly master of the Alexander Berry. The evidence generally related to the fitness of the vessel for sea-going purposes and her life-saving equipment.

The Court, after a brief retirement, brought in a decision that the vessel appeared to be seaworthy, and sufficiently found, with one exception, in not having a second anchor, which the Court was of opinion should always be carried on such a voyage as the Alexander Berry was making. The life-saving apparatus aboard was that required by the Navigation Amendment Act of 1899. The Court was of opinion that the master showed good seamanship, and appeared to have done everything possible in his attempt to save his vessel and the lives of those on board. He was ably assisted by his engineer and his crew.

FOUNDERING OF THE PROTECTOR.

FIVE LIVES LOST.

The Court of Marine Inquiry investigated the circumstances attending the foundering of the paddle-steamer Protector on the bar at the entrance to Richmond River on July 1, with the result that the captain and crew were drowned. The names of those who lost their lives were:—Captain J. J. Lewis, Engineer B. Watson, Fireman E. Vickery, and deckhands T. Tobiason and D. Phillips. Mr. Cargill appeared for the Superintendent of Navigation, and Messrs. Sly and Russell for the trustees of the late Mr. Thomas Fenwick, to whom the Protector belonged.

Mr. Cargill explained that on June 30, the Protector, in charge of Captain Lewis, crossed the bar, outwards, at 4 p.m., and at daylight on the following morning the steamer Maclean, having the Oakland in tow, was seen outside the bar, with the Protector standing by. The steamer Tomki was also standing off the bar. There was a considerable sea running at the time and the danger signal was flying at the pilot station. The Protector, however, sought to cross the bar. As she made the attempt she shipped a sea which caused her to broach to. She was then struck by a heavy sea and capsized. Although the lifebuoys and belts came ashore within five minutes, nothing was seen of the master and crew. Just before the Protector attempted to cross the bar the steamer Tomki passed over it, but the other two steamers, having the Oakland in tow, returned to Byron Bay.

Evidence was given by Captain Fraser, pilot in charge at Richmond River, and William James Graham, signalman at the Richmond River station. It went to show that the Protector was well found, and that there was a heavy sea running.

The Court, after a brief retirement, brought in a finding that the Protector was well found, and provided with the life-saving apparatus required by the Navigation Act of 1899. The finding included the following statement:—"The Court, while it cannot too strongly impress upon masters the risk they run in attempting to cross a bar when the signal is against them doing so, is not, having anything before it to show what was the master's reason for his action, not prepared to blame him."

STRANDING OF THE STEAMER VISION.

The Court of Marine Inquiry investigated the circumstances attending the stranding of the steamer Vision at Camden Haven. Mr. Cargill, who appeared for the Superintendent of Navigation, said that the Vision left Sydney on the morning of June 8 for Camden Haven, and arrived off that place about 4 o'clock the same afternoon. The tide was at two hours ebb. The sun was low, and through the glare over the channel the master, Peter Nelson, had a difficulty in seeing the leading marks. He therefore steered for the red buoy on the northern spit, but the vessel took the ground. He went full speed astern but the tide catching the steamer's head canted it towards the rocks on the south side, and she grounded, bumping heavily. She remained there three or four days, when she was towed off. The vessel was afterwards repaired, and was again running.

After taking evidence the Court found that the stranding was caused by the wrongful act of Peter Nelson in attempting to cross the bar when he must have known there was not sufficient water for his vessel, and in attempting to go on after 4 p.m. in the glare of the setting sun, the leading marks. The Court, therefore, called upon the master to show cause on August 21 why his certificate should not be suspended or cancelled.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Gibson and juries.)

Mr. W. L. Merewether, Crown Prosecutor.

ALLEGED STEALING.

Joseph Anderson, Henry Roberts, George Alvero, and James Chalker pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on July 11, at St. Peters, stolen 12 pulleys, the property of Henry Gurney. There was a second count of receiving, and a third of stealing three other pulleys. Mr. P. K. White, instructed by Mr. D. Chenhall, appeared for Alvero. The other accused were undefended. The case for the Crown was that Chalker had given a written order to Anderson to go to the old Vulcan Brickworks, using the name M. Gurney on the order, with instructions that Anderson should there get some pulleys and take them to a second-hand dealer in George-street West and sell them. Anderson engaged Alvero's cart, and Roberts was picked up to assist in carrying the pulleys. One lot of 12 was taken one day, and Anderson, Alvero, and Roberts were arrested the second day when they went to get the balance. The pulleys were sold for £2 10s. The money for them was not given to Mr. Gurney, nor did Mr. Gurney write the order for the delivery of the goods. Chalker was arrested at Balmain some time after the others had been apprehended. Chalker, in his statement, said that he signed the order and gave it to Anderson. Roberts and Alvero said that they were innocent agents in the transaction. The jury found Chalker and Anderson guilty, and Roberts and Alvero not guilty. Chalker was sentenced to imprisonment with hard labour for two years, and Anderson to imprisonment with hard labour for 12 months. Roberts and Alvero were discharged.

STEALING.

John Aldous pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on July 14 at Sydney stolen a pair of boots, one sock, and 1s 11d, the property of Charles Hart. He was undefended. The case for the Crown was that accused had gone to a boarding-house at night, and, moving quietly with his boots off in a bedroom in which were five men sleeping, had stolen the articles named. The prisoner was disturbed, and, seeing a pair of boots belonging to one of the men in his room in mistake for his own, endeavoured to get away. He was arrested climbing a gate at the back of the premises with the exact money which was lost and the other goods in his possession. The jury found him guilty, and he was shown to have served several sentences for similar offences. He was sentenced to imprisonment with hard labour for two years.

STEALING FROM THE PERSON.

George Agnew pleaded guilty to a charge of having on July 23, at Sydney, stolen a purse, six pieces of paper, and 13s 5d, the property of Christina Watt, from the person of Christina Watt. He was remanded for sentence. Earlier in the day Mr. Stewart, for the prisoner, had made an application for postponement of the case on account of the alleged absence of material witnesses for the defence. His Honor had granted an extension of time till late in the day; but accused, when the case was called the second time, amended his former statement of innocence and pleaded guilty.

ACQUITTAL.

Charles Francis pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on July 24, at Sydney, stolen a purse and £1 10s, the property of Oscar Lind, from the person of Oscar Lind. He was undefended. The jury found him not guilty, and he was discharged.

The Court adjourned to Monday.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—Monday, August 19.

Term List.—To be taken in Banco Court.—Motions generally: Motions nisi for new trial: Mellor v. Parker (part heard), Mellor v. Federal Steam Navigation Company, Limited, Baron Aldenham and others v. Weber and another. New trial motions: Walker v. Farrell, Union Bank of Australia, Limited, v. Green. To be taken in No. 1 Jury Court.—New trial motions: Ricketson and another v. Cook, Wadey v. Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, Limited.

Prothonotary's Office. Before the Prothonotary.—Ex parte Kilby, prohibition, 11; Brookhouse v. Brookhouse, 2.30. Before the Chief Clerk.—Jones v. Jones, M'Neill and Kelly co-respondents, 10.15; Watson v. Linkister, 10.30.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge in Equity. —At 10 a.m.: Donnison v. Donnison, motion to continue injunction: re T. Garthwaite, deceased, summons to appoint guardian. At 11.30 a.m.: Broken Hill Proprietary Block 14 Company, Limited, v. the Municipal District of Broken Hill, hearing.

Master's Office.—At 10 a.m.: Company and Lunacy matters. At 11 a.m.: Re Municipality of Five Dock and Drummoyne, to pass accounts. At 2 p.m.: Wentworth v. Wentworth, to proceed. Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 11 a.m.: Paling v. Paine, to tax costs. At 2 p.m.: Re E. Daintrey, deceased, to tax costs.

DISTRICT COURT.—Monday, August 19.

(Before his Honor Judge Docker, at 10 a.m.)

M'Keown v. the Sydney Wool-scouring Company, Limited; Mears v. Mears.

The list will be called over punctually at 10 a.m.

(Before the Registrar.)

Borough of Glebe v. Daley, 10.30 a.m.; Davis v. Baugh, 10.50 a.m.; Macinnes v. Munday, 11.15 a.m.; Clancy and another v. Saunders, 11.30.

COURT OF MARINE INQUIRY.—Monday, August 19. (Before his Honor Judge Backhouse and assessors, in No. 2 Court, at 11 a.m.)

Re the Oakland and the Sarah L. Hixson.

BALMAIN NEW FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

The half-yearly ordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Balmain New Ferry Company, Limited, was held on Thursday night in the Central Hall, Darling-street, Balmain. Mr. Antony Rodrick (chairman of directors) presided, and on the platform were the following members of the board of directors:—Messrs. C. H. Wise, H. B. Swan, Captain Thomas Napier, W. C. Macdougall, Alexander Gow, and John A. Ogg. The secretary (Mr. F. C. Grattan) read the directors' report and balance-sheet. The report showed the gross earnings for the six months to be £10,481 7s 1d, the working expenses amounted to £8495 14s 10d, leaving a gross surplus of £1985 12s 3d. From this sum had been written off for depreciation the amount of £995 19s 6d, leaving a net profit for the half-year's working of £989 12s 9d. The present balance to the credit of profit and loss amounted to £4588 16s 10d, and the payment of a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, which would leave a net balance of £4040 17s 10d. This sum was recommended to be carried forward.

In moving the adoption of the report the chairman said that during the coming year the directors expected large increases in different respects. Their lease of the wharf at Erskine-street would soon expire, and they expected the rent would, as had been done in other instances, be increased. In acceding to the demands of the masters and firemen the company was involved in an extra expense of £300 per annum. These increases were not due to extravagance, but to force of circumstances over which the directors had no control, but they expected to reap the benefit of their patience in waiting so long for their new steamer by a reduction in the price of material.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. F. Pontey, supported by Alderman A. M. Milne, Messrs. W. M. Burns, Settree, M'Farlane, Henderson, and others, and carried.

The payment of the dividend was confirmed on the motion of Mr. C. Still, seconded by Mr. T. Napier, jun., and will be payable at the company's office on and after Monday, August 19.

The "Labour Question" is we know
A problem hard to solve;
But if its progress is but slow,
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An excellent double-page illustration, "On 'Change," in which most of the prominent business men of Sydney may be clearly seen, appears in this week's "Sydney Mail."—Advt.

MARSFIELD SCHOOL.

THE OPENING CEREMONY.

Yesterday was a red-letter day in the somewhat removed and quiet district of Marsfield, the occasion being the opening of a school erected by private enterprise for the use of the large and growing juvenile population of that scattered district lying within the area familiarly known as the Field of Mars. It appears that during the time Mr. J. Garrard was Minister for Public Instruction representations were made to induce him to establish a Public school in the district, but without satisfactory result. Other efforts have since been made, but without success, and eventually the Government erected a school at Epping, which was recently opened.

The residents of Marsfield, who were thus compelled to send their children either to Ryde or to Epping, both considerably removed from Marsfield, decided to supply the local want themselves, and had gone so far as to prepare drawings for a small building, when Mr. H. Curzon-Smith came forward and generously undertook the work. The outcome of his efforts, actively aided by Mrs. Curzon-Smith, is the commodious stone schoolroom opened under such auspicious circumstances yesterday, in the presence of one of the largest gatherings ever seen in Marsfield, which included a member of the Ministry, in the person of the Treasurer, several members of Parliament, prominent residents, and others interested in the movement.

A large party from Sydney, at the invitation of Mrs. H. Curzon-Smith, was welcomed by the hostess at Curzon Hall, a stately edifice which when completed will rival the largest mansions in Sydney. This party journeyed to the school building, close by, where the residents of the neighbourhood had gathered in large numbers, and the children, numbering between 70 and 80, were mustered. After having sung several part songs they indulged in sports, for which numerous prizes were given.

Shortly before 3 o'clock the Parliamentary party arrived on the ground, having been driven from Eastwood station in vehicles, preceded by an escort of mounted police, and accompanied by the local band. The party consisted of Mr. T. Waddell (Treasurer), Mr. Frank Farnell, M.L.A. (member for the district), Mr. D. O'Connor, M.L.A., Mr. J. Haynes, M.L.A., and Mr. E. C. V. Broughton, M.L.A. They were, upon arrival, welcomed by the Mayor (Alderman E. Gallagher) and aldermen of Marsfield.

Mr. T. Waddell, in a brief speech, requested Mrs. H. Curzon-Smith to formally open the building, at the same time handing her a beautifully chased gold Yale key, which bore a suitable inscription. With the handsome souvenir Mrs. Curzon-Smith unlocked the door, and the gathering entered the building, where luncheon was served.

Mr. F. Farnell, M.L.A., presided, and had on his right Mr. T. Waddell, Mrs. Curzon-Smith, Alderman E. Gallagher (Mayor), Mr. E. C. V. Broughton, and on his left Mrs. Farnell, Mr. D. O'Connor, Mrs. Von Hogen, and Mr. J. Haynes. After the chairman had given the toast of "The King," which was loyally honoured, Alderman Adams proposed "The Ministry and Parliament."

Mr. T. Waddell, who was met with a cordial reception, expressed the pleasure it gave him to be present. He was also pleased to be able to represent the Ministry, since it gave him an opportunity of becoming acquainted with the district, which he found was the home of a very enterprising people. It was to Marsfield he had come to find a lady and gentleman possessing a public spirit that induced them to spend a large sum of money in building a school for the benefit and education of the local juveniles. Such an example might well be followed by other wealthy people of the State. (Applause.) He understood that the residents had been trying for years to get a school established in their midst without much encouragement, but he reminded them that they were not singular in that respect. However, he congratulated them on having, through private energy, succeeded in getting such a school. (Cheers.) He hoped the day would not be far off when it would be found necessary to add to the structure. He wished the school every success. (Applause.)

Messrs. D. O'Connor, E. C. V. Broughton, and J. Haynes, M's.L.A., also responded.

Mr. T. Waddell proposed "The District and the School," and in doing so said they had in their district the elements of progression—good land, enterprising people, and an energetic Parliamentary representative. Mr. F. Farnell responded.

The remaining toasts were: "Mr. and Mrs. H. Curzon-Smith," proposed by Mr. J. Beverley, and responded to by Mr. Curzon-Smith; "The Committee," proposed by Mr. John Haynes, and replied to by Mr. P. Dowling; and "The Chairman," proposed by Mr. D. O'Connor, and responded to by Mr. F. Farnell.

During the evening the celebrations were continued, and a display of fireworks was followed by a concert, in which Mrs. J. Cowan, Mrs. Hellyer, Mrs. Lindsay Brown, the Misses A. B. Cooper, Curzon-Smith, Haye, L. Beverley, A. and E. Small, Hellyer, Deane, Messrs. F. Smith, Hoskings, J. A. Bernasconi, S. Beverley, W. Fennett, H. Deuchatteau, Grills, and Norton and the Rev. C. T. West contributed items.

At 9 p.m. there was a large gathering at Curzon Hall, where a ball was held to celebrate the occasion. It was largely attended, and dancing was indulged in to good music in the large drawing-room, the supper tables being laid in the corridor on the upper floor. The guests numbered about 100, and were hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Curzon-Smith.

The success of the function was due in a great measure to the efforts of the committee, of which Mr. Gallagher (Mayor of Marsfield) was chairman, Mr. Philip Dowling hon. secretary, and Mr. Sydney Small hon. treasurer.

The building was erected from plans prepared by Mr. D. T. Morrow, of St. George's Hall, Newtown.

ALLEGED BETTING.

POLICE COURT PROSECUTIONS.

At the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Edwards, S.M., two young men appeared on remand to answer an information alleging that they assisted in conducting the business of a betting-room in a building in Pitt-street, Sydney, on August 1 last (39 Vic. 28, sec. 3). The case for the prosecution had been closed on Tuesday last.

Mr. Tillett (Crown Law Office) prosecuted; Mr. Want, K.C., and Mr. Lyons, instructed by Mr. T. Slattery and Mr. Barry (Curtiss and Barry), appeared for the defence.

Mr. Edwards said that since the adjournment he had considered the case, and held that the evidence supported the information. He therefore convicted the defendants.

Mr. Want said that as the Bench thereby held there was no necessity for the conviction of the principal to justify the conviction of an assistant it might shorten matters if it expressed that opinion, as the evidence in the other cases would be practically the same. If the Bench would state a case on the present conviction on the objections which he had taken on Tuesday they could allow the other cases to stand over to abide the decision of the Full Court in the present case. If the Bench were held to be right the remaining defendants agreed to plead guilty. On the other hand, if the Full Court held that it was necessary to establish the conviction of the principal then the cases would be dismissed.

Mr. Edwards said that under the judgment in the case of Prendville v. Hodge (quoted by Mr. Want) he did not think it was necessary to prove the conviction of the principal, the word "guilt" being used.

Mr. Want said the defendants would abide by the decision of the Full Court. If the ruling of the Bench were upheld the other defendants would plead guilty.

Mr. Tillett said he would agree to the other cases standing over pending judgment of the Full Court, but if the decision of the Bench were reversed on the ground that it was necessary to prove the conviction of the principal he would reserve his rights in the matter of proceeding further.

One defendant was then fined £50 or six months' imprisonment, and the other £25 or three months' imprisonment.

Similar charges against three other defendants in connection with another building were adjourned until December 2, pending decision of the Supreme Court.

TEMPERANCE REFORM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your readers owe you warm thanks for your own articles on the above subject, and also for those you have reprinted from the "Spectator," &c. The numerous letters from correspondents which have appeared in your columns show the widespread interest which is taken in this important question. Is it not time now to bring all this to some practical issue? I fear it must be mournfully confessed that it is a hopeless task to try to bring the more extreme teetotallers into line. Nothing but the entire suppression of the drink traffic will satisfy them. Prohibition without compensation seems to be the Utopia which will alone make them content; and while I do not blame them, for the enormous evils of excessive drinking may condone some fanaticism on the subject, yet there are many, even teetotallers, who would doubtless be willing to work together to secure some reform short of entire prohibition. The Northumberland Public-house Trust Company and the People's Refreshment House Association, Limited, in England seem to be framed on lines which offer hope in this direction. Some details of the methods adopted have been set forth in your columns. The issue was very clearly put the other day in a question Lord Grey addressed to Sir Wilfrid Lawson. He says, "Is it better that the new public-houses created by licensing authorities should be managed by the trade whose interest it will be to sell as much drink as possible, or by associations of public-spirited gentlemen who have no interest, either direct or indirect, to push the sale of intoxicants, and who are prepared to accept and manage these newly created licenses as a trust in the interests of the community?"

If a Public-house Trust Company could be formed in Sydney on the lines of Lord Grey's, it need not confine itself to the establishment of licensed houses in new districts, but might endeavour to obtain possession of licensed houses already in existence, such as those which have lately been the subject of much debate in the Rocks resumption area.

But I should trespass unduly on your space if I asked to discuss the many features of this great question. The object with which I have ventured to trouble you with this letter is to ask if we have not sufficient public-spirited citizens in Sydney to take up this question and endeavour to do something on the lines indicated. Will our chief citizen, the Mayor of Sydney, call a meeting, and at any rate give an opportunity for discussion of the problem? Though a lifelong total abstainer myself, I fear I am looked upon as a renegade by some of my teetotal brethren, and shall possibly provoke some hostile personal criticism by taking this step. This, however, I do not mind if I can do anything however small to reduce the evils all right-thinking men deplore.

I am, &c., W. I. CARR SMITH.

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INFLUENZA COUGH.	FROM A NURSE. Ebbsfleet, Falmouth. Dear Sirs,—For some time I have intended writing to say how satisfied I have been with your Emulsion. You kindly sent me a sample bottle some time ago, which I tried for a nasty influenza cough. After taking a few doses I found my cough entirely gone. I have recommended it to several people, and in every case it has proved a boon. In three cases of influenza it immediately relieved the troublesome cough. I have great faith in your Emulsion, and am never without a bottle of it in the house. (Signed) SISTERS PARK.
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COUGH AND SORE THROAT.	FROM A BAPTIST MINISTER. Barry Port, South Wales. Dear Sirs,—I have for weeks been suffering with irritation of the throat, and a severe racking cough, the result of influenza. I am happy to say that after taking your preparation my cough has entirely disappeared, and my voice is as clear as a bell. I strongly recommend it to all persons suffering from hoarseness. I am recommending it to all my friends. (Signed) W. E. WATKINS, Baptist Minister.
BRONCHIAL ASTHMA.	FROM A CLERGYMAN. Sea House, via Chathill, Northumberland. Dear Sirs,—I have got so much real good from the use of Angier's Emulsion that I feel it a pleasure to recommend it to others. I have commenced my second 4s 6d bottle, and find myself very much better in every way. For more than a year up to date of receiving your sample bottle, if I got out in the night air I had to stand to gasp for breath, but last night I was at Chiston Bank at 8.30 p.m. in a storm of wind and rain, the worst we have had this winter, and I had to return by rail three miles and drive in a trap five miles, and experienced none of the difficulty from which I have suffered so long. (Signed) Rev. G. W. CLARK.

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(Signed) ANDREW JAMIESON.

To S. A. Palmer, Vitadatio, 28/5/1901.

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Government Notices.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 16th August, 1901.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS for the Works, &c., specified below will be received at this Department until 2 o'clock p.m. on the dates mentioned. For conditions see Government Gazette.

MONDAY, 19th AUGUST.

Bridge, Murrah River, road Bega to Bermagui.
Bridge, Webber's Creek, at Dunn's Crossing, road Branxton via Glendon Brook to Gresford.
Bridge, Beardy River, at Yarraford, M.N.-road.
Erection of Police Station, Acacia Creek.

MONDAY, 26th AUGUST.

Construction, &c., of Centrifugal Pumping Engine for Dock, Richmond River.
Alterations, &c., Lock-up, Wagga Wagga.
Erection of Operating Room, Coast Hospital, Little Bay.

MONDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER.

Bridge, Macdonald River, at St. Albans.
Bridge, Uralla Creek, at Hill-street, Uralla.
Bridge, Kerlinar Creek, road Wallarobba to Brookfield.
Erection of Boundary Walls, Steps, &c., Courthouse, Gundagai.
Additions, &c., Courthouse, &c., Denman.

MONDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER.

Bridge, Duckmaloi River, at Edith, road Tarana to Jenolan. Fresh tenders.
Construction of Hull for Timber Punt, Ulmarra-Southgate Ferry. Fresh tenders.
Erection of Post and Telegraph Office, Chatswood.
Bridge, Macdonald River, road Walcha to Mangla. Fresh tenders.
Bridge, Coombing Creek, road Carcoar to Fellitimber Creek. Time extended.

MONDAY, 14th OCTOBER.

Supply of 100lb. Steel Rails and Fastenings. Time extended.

MONDAY, 4th NOVEMBER.

Bridge, Lachlan River, at Gooloogong.

MONDAY, 16th DECEMBER.

Bridge over the Hunter River at Luskintyre, road Lochinvar to Lamb's Creek.

(6a-9) E. W. O'SULLIVAN.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 16th August, 1901.

SUPPLY OF 100lb. RAILS AND FASTENINGS.

TENDERS, to be addressed to the President of the Tender Board, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, 14th October, 1901 (time extended), from persons wishing to contract for the Supply of—

5-6 tons of 100lb. Flanged Steel Rails
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E. W. O'SULLIVAN, Minister for Public Works.

Department of Lands, Sydney, 26th June, 1901.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that a Meeting of the Board for the Examination of Candidates for Licenses to Survey under the Crown Lands Acts will be held on TUESDAY, the 24th September, 1901, at 10 a.m., at the Office of the Chief Surveyor, Department of Lands. Intending candidates are informed that it will be necessary to apply at least 10 days before the date fixed for the examination.

W. P. CRICK.

This notice is in lieu of that which appeared in the "Government Gazette" No. 531, of 19th June 1901. (5a-14)

Department of Public Service, Tender Board, Sydney, 13th August, 1901.

TENDERS for the SUPPLIES and SERVICES specified below will be received at the Board's Office, 6 Bligh-street, until 2.15 p.m. on the dates mentioned. (For particulars see Government Gazette.)

FRIDAY, 23rd AUGUST, 1901.

TENDERS for DIESTAMP COLOUR PRINTING of DUTY STAMPS on COMMERCIAL DOCUMENTS. Tender forms and full particulars may be obtained upon application at the Stamp Duties Office, Phillip-street. The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

FRIDAY, 6th AUGUST, 1901.

TENDERS for the SUPPLY and DELIVERY of FORAGE for the POLICE STATIONS at BRAIDWOOD, ARALUEN, MAJOR'S CREEK, and COONAMBLE for a period of six calendar months from 1st October, 1901. Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained at the Police Stations concerned or at this office.

MANDER ROSS, Secretary and Executive Member.

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Sydney Harbour Trust Offices, Sydney, 30th July, 1901.

TO TIMBER MERCHANTS AND OTHERS.

Separate TENDERS will be received at the offices of the Sydney Harbour Trust up to Noon, FRIDAY, the 23rd August, for the Supply and Delivery of SAWN HARDWOOD, SAWN HARDWOOD, and TURPENTINE PILES for the new wharf at the west side of Miller's Point, Sydney Harbour.

Specifications may be seen at the Public Works Office, Newcastle; at the Court-house, Taree; and at the offices of the Sydney Harbour Trust.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Engineer, Sydney Harbour Trust. Tenders should be addressed to the Secretary, and endorsed "Tenders for supply of Timber for Wharf at Miller's Point."

For the Commissioners, J. H. MARTIN, Secretary.

BOATSHEDS AT THE SPIT, MIDDLE HARBOUR.

The Sydney Harbour Trust Commissioners offer for PUBLIC TENDER an area of 27 perches of LAND at the Spit, Middle Harbour, as a site for a Boat-building and Boat-letting Establishment. The land is situated on the western side of the Spit, near the punt approach, and immediately to the south of the 100ft. frontage proposed to be leased by the Commissioners to the Minister for Public Works for tramway purposes. The land has a frontage of 50ft. to the Spit-road, with a depth of 150ft., extending below low-water mark. A lease of the land will be granted for a period of 10 years. The buildings to be erected by the lessee must include a boat-shed and suitable refreshment room, and the plans thereof must receive the approval of the Commissioners before erection is proceeded with. At the end of the term, should the Commissioners and the lessee be unable to arrange for a continuation of the lease, the lessee shall have the right to remove the buildings. Further particulars may be obtained at the offices of the Harbour Trust. Tenders, which should be endorsed "Tenders for Land at the Spit," must reach the hands of the Secretary not later than noon, FRIDAY, the 23rd August. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

For the Commissioners, J. H. MARTIN, Secretary.

Sydney Harbour Trust Offices, Sydney, 3rd August, 1901.

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

TENDERS for the WORKS specified below will be received on the date mentioned. For particulars see Government Gazette.

AUGUST 26, 1901.

Construction of 1946 lineal feet of Stoneware Pipe Sewers in the Boroughs of Marrickville and Camperdown.

WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.

341 Pitt-street, Sydney, 13th August, 1901. (61-6)

Public Service Board, 50 Young-street, Sydney, 16th August, 1901.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD invite applications for the undermentioned positions in the Public Service.

APPLICATIONS must be made on a form for the purpose, obtainable from this office, or from Clerks of Petty Sessions in Country Districts, and must reach the undersigned not later than the dates specified.

Further particulars are published in the Government Gazette, and can also be obtained on application to this office.

MONDAY, 19th AUGUST, 1901.

WATCHMAN, Department of Public Works (General Division). Salary £143 per annum. Applicants must be not more than 40 years of age, and have had some experience in Fire Brigade work. Suitable applicants in the Public Service will have first consideration.

MONDAY, 26th AUGUST, 1901.

COOK on the Pilot Steamer Captain Cook, Department of Navigation (General Division). Salary £120 per annum. Applicants must be not more than 40 years of age, and must be competent cooks.

ENGINE DRIVER, Quarantine Tender, Sydney, Department of Public Health (General Division). Salary, £120 per annum, with quarters, fuel, light, and uniform, valued at £40 per annum. Rations will be allowed during quarantine. Applicants must not be more than 40 years of age, and must hold a 3rd class Engineer's Certificate of competency. Suitable applicants in the Public Service will have first consideration.

SURVEYOR (Temporary), in the Railway Construction Branch, Department of Public Works. Salary, £250 per annum.

COLLECTOR at the Botanic Gardens (General Division). Salary, £150 per annum. Applicants must not be more than 40 years of age, and must be trained gardeners and have an intimate acquaintance with the native flora.

By order of the Board,

(9a28) J. W. HOLLIMAN, Secretary.

SUPPLY OF TELEGRAPH, TELEPHONE, AND ELECTRIC LIGHT MATERIALS.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs, Brisbane, until noon on MONDAY, the sixteenth day of September, 1901, from persons desirous of contracting for a Supply of Material according to the terms, general conditions, and specification published in the Government Gazette of Saturday, 29th June, 1901.

Specifications and every other information may be obtained on application at the Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs, Brisbane; and sealed patterns may be seen at the Office of the Electrical Engineer, Brisbane, during office hours.

Tenders must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to "The Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs, Post and Telegraph Department, Brisbane," and endorsed "Tender for the Supply of Telegraph, Telephone, and Electric Light Materials."

ROBT. T. SCOTT, Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Post and Telegraph Department, Brisbane, 5th July, 1901.

Post and Telegraph Department, Brisbane, 12th July, 1901.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLY OF MATERIAL, &c.

TENDERS are invited, and will be received at this office up to noon on the 9th day of September, 1901, for the SUPPLY of MATERIAL and STORES, including Galvanised Iron Wire, Insulated Wire, Sheet Zinc, Spelter, Bolts and Nuts, Glassware for Batteries, Sal-ammoniac, Sulphate of Copper, Sulphate of Magnesia, Coach Screws, Pliers, Vices, Files, Instrument Ink, and other articles.

Particulars may be obtained and samples seen on application to the Storekeeper, Post and Telegraph Stores, Elizabeth-street, Brisbane.

GEORGE H. BUZACOTT, for Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent Telegraphs.

SUPPLY OF TELEPHONE CABLE.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs, Brisbane, until noon on MONDAY, the thirtieth day of September, 1901, from persons desirous of contracting for the Supply of Two Miles of Telephone Cable, according to the terms, general conditions, and specification published in the Government Gazette of Saturday, 27th July, 1901.

Specifications and Tender Forms may be obtained on application at the office of the Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs, Brisbane, where all other information may be obtained.

Tenders must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to "The Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs, Post and Telegraph Department, Brisbane," and endorsed "Tender for Telephone Cable."

GEORGE H. BUZACOTT, Acting Deputy Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Post and Telegraph Department, Brisbane, 2nd August, 1901.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, MELBOURNE, 1st August, 1901.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLY OF BICYCLES.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

TENDERS are invited and will be received at this Office until TUESDAY, the 3rd day of September, 1901, for the Supply, Maintenance, and Replacing while under repair of Bicycles with all necessary Accessories for the use of this Department in each State or throughout the Commonwealth.

Tenderers must state the conditions which are to apply to their tenders, and the Towns in each State at which Bicycles can be supplied or repaired.

JAMES G. DRAKE, Postmaster-General.

(CP-18)

The Treasury, New South Wales, Sydney, 26th July, 1901.

THE attention of Trustees and others having funds for investment is drawn to the fact that on and after 1st August, 1901, 3½ New South Wales Funded Stock, bearing interest at the rate of 3½ per cent., payable half-yearly, will be purchasable at the Stock Office, the Treasury, at par.

The Stock has a fixed currency until 1912, after which it is repayable at the option of the Government, upon giving twelve months' notice.

Forms of application for Stock and all particulars may be obtained upon application at the Stock Office, the Treasury.

(2a-2) T. WADDELL.

ATTENTION is directed to the notice in the Government Gazette of the 10th August, 1901, giving particulars of an APPLICATION by JOSEPH HENRY WEARNE for permission to purchase one acre, parish of Willoughby, county Cumberland, forming part of the 100 feet reservation [illegible] Lane Cove River. Caveats if lodged with the Minister for Lands on or before the 7th September, 1901, accompanied by a deposit of £10, will receive consideration.

H. CURRY, (Sa13) Under-Secretary for Lands.

Queen's-square, Sydney, 14th August, 1901.

TENDERS will be received up to the 30th instant for the SUPPLY of UNIFORM and BOOTS to the 4th VOLUNTEER INFANTRY REGIMENT (Australian Rifles) for the period terminating on the 30th June, 1902. The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted. Forms of Tender and sample Patterns may be seen at the Orderly Room, Queen's-square, Sydney.

By order, E. C. COOKE, Capt., Actg. Adjutant, 4th Vol. Inf. Regt.

TENDERS will be received up to the 23rd instant for the supply of UNIFORM and BOOTS for 8th REGT. IRISH RIFLES. All information as to conditions and samples will be supplied on application to the O. Room, 8th Regt., Queen's-square.

By order, ARTHUR TOWER, Jun., (cd-26) Hon. Capt. and Adjt. 8th Regt.

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COUNTERS, Glass Showcases, Shop and Office Fittings, new and second-hand. [illegible]

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TICKETS.—FIRKINS' AGENCY REMOVED to 9 MOORE-STREET.—Do not be talked into buying your Tickets at other offices when I am closed. Get my quotations for fares first. Office hours, 9 till 6. Est. 1892.

A T Builders' Mart., 26 Ellis-st., nr. Hunter-st., city, Second Clearing Sale Building Materials for 12 days.

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General Merchandise.

HIGHEST AWARD AND PRIZE MEDAL, PHILADELPHIA EXHIBITION, 1876.

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ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

W. A. (Balmain).—Your St. Bernard puppy has arrived at an age when he should be kept warm and given plenty of the best of food twice a day. Give sound boiled meat, using alternately onions or parsnips in the stew, which should be poured over the stale bread or biscuits. A reference is made to feeding dogs elsewhere.

George Prosser.—You had better enter at once; the cost is 5s for non-members and 4s for members. The entry fee for membership is 10s 6d, annual subscription 10s 6d, life membership £5 5s. Mr. Ramsay, 58 Pitt-street, is the secretary.

E. G. L. (Moree).—You will find what you require in this contribution. The correct corded black poodle is practically unknown. In the woolly kind there are blacks, chestnuts or reds, blues, and smoky coloured ones. Yes, there are professional trimmers and clippers, who charge according to what may be styled the extravagance of the cult. It is a recognised business. 2. We do not decide wagers of the kind you mention. We have seen dogs carry enormous coats in hot climates.

The Kennel Club show of this year promises to be one of exceptional interest, and it is perhaps a move in the right direction that the executive should still further the attractions at Moore Park, always charming, always commodious. It is questionable whether there is a better building of the kind throughout the length and breadth of this State than that erected especially for the poultry exhibits at the ever-popular Royal. It is roomy, capacious, the aisles wide, while the light floods in through the glazed roof, considerations that at once make dog shows agreeable. To go to a show and find the animals cooped up in little recesses is to journey away little the better for the undertaking. Then again it is to be hoped that the committee this year will see their way clear to bed the dogs on straw, and not on sawdust. A guard could be placed along the outside of the benches, so as to prevent the litter from falling on the floor, and a staff of keepers, wearing some distinguishing badge, could be engaged to exercise the dogs, and thus obviate all unpleasantness. It behoves the Kennel Club to set an example to all bodies, and we should bear in mind that we are on the up grade in Australia in the way of shows, and that we may not play second fiddle to anyone. Perhaps we have not yet arrived at the period when ladies in the ring hand out the coloured favours immediately after the miserable man judge has made his awards, but such has happened in Ireland at the Cork Show on June 3 and 4 last. You may wager that not the least pretty colleens of the province of Munster were chosen for these offices; and oh! what a consolation such must have been to the poor beaten exhibitor. The dog show in connection with the annual agricultural at Cork was a few years ago but a slim affair. Now it is the exhibition par excellence, according to the local papers; so it would seem that the South is well to the fore in the prevailing fashion.

Your Australian is fond of a horse, and he loves to see him in his paces and over timber and water. He will growl when a nag hits the top bar, and he will cheer when he clears it. There is a hush of silence among thousands of souls as the horse is sent at the water as hard as ever he can pelt. Ah! will exclaim the multitude as he refuses or makes the water fly; but there is a clapping of hands and the waving of kerchiefs if he sails over it like the proverbial bird. Ask your neighbour, stranger though he be, in the enclosure or anywhere surrounding at that beautiful oval—ask him what is the record high-jump. He will exclaim without a moment's hesitation that it is held by Mr. Henry Morton's Desmond, 6ft. 10in., at Albury. That demonstrates the enthusiasm, and, to use a vulgarism, the committee of the Kennel Club has "tumbled" to that fact. Big premiums will be given in the jumping competitions for horses and ponies. There will also be an important bicycle race and trotting matches. The prizes in the horse affair will be £20, £10, and £5. The show will not be open in the evening, so the dogs will be comfortable, and all may have a good rest. It might be if proper notice were given we should be even favoured with the best specimens from the far west. But the time may be short, still an extension of the time of making entries could be allowed in this instance. So far as Sydney is concerned the forms must be filled up and placed with Mr. L. L. Ramsay to-day (Saturday). In the ordinary run of affairs the date of closing entries and the time of the show seem to the writer to be somewhat far apart. However, that is the business of the club, or rather the committee. The schedule is a most general one. There are in all 220 classes, and a section may be found for all breeds, ages, and performances. Unsold exhibits will be carried back to their homes by the railway free of charge, and there is of course no expense entailed by the owner while his dog or dogs are at the show in the way of food and attendance. Here it might be suggested to the executive that at a four days' show the dogs should have proper creature comforts in the way of tasty and palatable food. Your home-fed valuable dog is apt to turn up his nose at the dry biscuit thrown at him, as if he were a store pig with lean ribs and much ambition in the way of appetite. Let some bullock heads and plucks be taken and well boiled in a great cauldron. When done strip the flesh from the bones, and in a dry tub chop up with a sharp spade the whole of the flesh, liver, lights, &c., into small cubes. Then with this place the well-crusted or broken biscuits—if a proper biscuit-crusher be not handy, then an oil-cake one will answer the same purpose. Over the whole pour the still scalding broth or liquor until it is well over the solids, and, covering with sacks, leave two or three hours. Now take off the covering, mix the mess with your spade, and serve cold; you will see dogs lick their chops like ploughboys, and wriggle their tails for more. A little exercise and your dog is as fit as a sandboy. As before remarked, the entries for this great show close to-night with Mr. Ramsay, 58 Pitt-street.

The following is the list of judges for the forthcoming Kennel Club show. It might be mentioned that Mr. W. Wright, of Melbourne, has been asked to take the collies, but his reply up to the time of writing has not been received. Mr. H. Moses will take the fox terriers, while Mr. William Jenkins will be responsible for the placing of the pointers and setters. Mr. F. F. Thompson's adjudications on Irish terriers and Australian terriers will no doubt be satisfactory, and if Mr. J. H. B. Martin be back from South Africa (I last heard from him from Krugersdorp, where he had just received a commission in the New South Wales Mounted Rifles), he will look over the dachshunds. Yorkshire terriers and black and tan terriers will be in the hands of Mr. J. D. Brown. Mr. W. Cardin will judge Italian greyhounds, poodles, and pomeranians; Mr. A. Gribben, pugs. The popular president of the New South Wales National Coursing Association, Mr. B. Coombes, will doubtlessly have a fine entry of greyhounds to look upon, while the remainder of the classes, consisting of foxhounds, harriers, beagles, deerhounds, bassets, retrievers, spaniels, bulldogs, bull terriers, and Airedale terriers will be left to Mr. Freeman Lloyd. If Mr. Wright comes over from the Yarra city the big dogs, such as St. Bernards, mastiffs, Danes, &c., will be added to his list.

It appears there has been a call for the Vanquisher-Spotlands Starlight puppies, but so far Mr. Gorman has only been tempted to dispose of one. This, a sable and white dog puppy, went to Mr. Rogers, of Newcastle. Both sire and dam are of course well-winners known in England and Australia. Another collie from the Strathfield kennel has gone further afield, and this the silver sable bitch Merley Queen. The daughter of First Gun and First Jess had just finished rearing a litter to Vanquisher when she was procured by Mr. W. O. Judge, of Young.

Mr. H. E. Lord has in consequence of other pressing engagements resigned his position on the committee of the Kennel Club. For the vacant position Mr. H. P. Finemore, the well-known owner of the Stratheden kennels, and an admirer of collies and pugs, has been elected.

Before leaving for Europe Mr. L. D. Bozsdorff presented to Mr. Harold Gorman the collie bitch Bremen Bashful. She secured a second and third prize at the Melbourne show in July of last year. She is by Mr. James Brennan's (Kalgoorlie) champion Palmbearer, from Bremen Bracelet.

The death of Mr. J. H. Ellis, the noted bulldog owner and breeder in London, will be read of with regret by many people in Greater Britain. No one was more popular, and for many years he had about him some of the best of the national breed, never more popular than they are to-day. For instance, the "Field" says that a bona fide offer of £800 has just been made for Woodcote Chinosol. In this connection and the present high prices of dogs, the Australian correspondent of "Our Dogs" to hand states that Belfort Buller, the Marrickville St. Bernard, "would be worth hundreds" if he were better in a certain property that has already been mentioned. But to return to Mr. Jack Ellis, who owned such bulldogs as Grabber, Pathfinder, Guido, Ida, Taurus, Bellissima, Captain Jack, and Tomboy. By the way he was an intimate friend of Mr. H. Rickards, whose bulldog the deceased purchased for him, also the toy black-and-tan and others of the many dogs to be found at Craigemeet, where also is to be found an almost life-sized portrait of the genial fellow who was responsible for "The Bulldog Club Anthem," known to the million as "The Shan Van Vogh." Mr. Ellis was also a leading light at the National Sporting Club, and often officiated. He himself had held the light-weight championship when held under the Marquis of Queensberry's rules. Deceased was an expert fisherman, and took great delight in showing his trophies of the rod, the ring, and the bench to all who visited him. He entertained the writer once for a couple of hours disclosing his marvellous collection of cups, medals, and an indescribable medley of "things," among other the championship belt won and worn by the redoubtable Tom Cribb, which was made of lion skin and mounted with precious metals.

The collie champion Christopher has died at a ripe old age—blind, deaf, and decrepid. I was present at the Central Hall, Holborn, London, when Mr. Mitchell Harrison, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Tom Stretch came together, the former giving as good as £1000 for Metchley Wonder's son. At a little round marble-slabbed table the deal was completed, and there flowed forth three fizzing, beading goblets of a choice vintage. Perhaps the chief interest that Christopher will now have for us out here is that he is the sire of ch. Ormskirk Amazement, still alive, hale, and hearty in Leith. This dog's sire and dam (Sweet Lassie) were sold for £1250 right out, and their purchasers were men of the world who would not trust their money in the air.

It is pleasing to be able to write that Mr. C. Court Rice is now able to take a little exercise daily in the fresh air. He is still very weak after his alarming illness—an epidemic that has prostrated so many in this and other Australian cities during the last two months. Mr. Fenton, one of the best-known of Irish terrier breeders in Victoria, succumbed to a like attack in Melbourne last week. In Mr. W. Bielby's words to me, "He was the most consistent breeder of the variety in all Australia." His most recent lot were sired by Towers Lad.

It would appear that the West owns some of the best beagles, and as has been mentioned in previous contributions under this heading the Fremantle and Kalgoorlie hunts owe their inception to Mr. Cairnes Candy, who by the way left for England via the Cape last week. Not only do the Kalgoorlie hounds run on a drag, but they afford good sport as brush kangaroo. The establishment is not so big as that on the sea, but there is a photograph before me as I write of a meet of the Kalgoorlie beagles on the racecourse, on which occasion there must have been present close on 100 horse men and women, while there were several on wheels. There were near 50 beagle entries in all, which likely is a record one, and far above the average of what we see here in the east, not only in quantity but quality. The doghound that won all the way through was especially taking, and he property of Mr. Edward Howard, of the Boulder. He bears the not very houndlike name of Leo, but he is by the imported champion Lofty from Daisy, by Despot from Dulcie. Lofty, it will be remembered, won at the Crystal Palace, and is much thought of by his owner, the Master of the Fremantle Hunt Club. Returning to Leo, he is a charming hound. He was exhibited full of condition. He has a beautiful head, body, legs, and feet, but his stern is as fine as a whip, and he lacks that fringe of bristles on the underside of his tail so characteristic of the beagle. Whether the bull-terrier-like one was the result of too much elbow-grease or grooming we know not, but it certainly did not add to his attractiveness. In the ring he showed himself as if he had been loose on the flags. As before remarked, he had quite a field day, and finished up by winning the First Produce Stakes of the W. A. Beagle Club, Mr. W. Green being second with Regent, again by Lofty, but from Delicate, while Mr. Hartman was third with Dealer, a son, like Leo, of Lofty and Daisy. Mr. Green, it might be mentioned here, in the absence of Mr. Candy, will hunt the Fremantle hounds, a club that, seemingly, is extremely popular, and now more so than ever, since his Excellency the Governor, Sir A. Lawley, and his young daughters are constantly followers. May they continue to show the best of sport.

HOMEBUSH STOCK TRADE.

MATTERS IN DISPUTE.

During the past three months certain matters have been discussed in connection with the Homebush fat stock sales. At the beginning of June the Fat Stock Salesmen's Association lapsed, and all but one selling agent issued notice to buyers to the effect that the terms under which stock would be sold on and after June 3 would be, viz., cash or the lodging of cheques by buyers at the head office of the Homebush selling agents in Sydney by 12 noon on the Wednesday and Saturday after each day of sale. These terms were not favourably received by some of the buyers, and on June 17 a meeting of the Fat Stock Buyers' Association was held in Sydney, at which the following resolutions were carried:—

1. "That the agents be asked to refund 2d in the pound for money paid according to their present demands."

2. "That no agent shall 'post' any buyer whose cheque is through his hands by following sale day."

3. "That the agent give the name of the previous bidder with that of the purchaser."

On June 19 a conference of representatives of the Buyers' Association and the selling agents took place, and it was agreed that the matter of a refund of 2d in the £ should be submitted to the stockowners present in Sydney during the sheepshow and ram sales. The agents intimated that so far as they were concerned they could not accede to the request for a refund. In the meantime feeling ran high between some of the buyers, and at the time that the conjoint deputation of buyers and agents were to approach the stockowners rumours of a strike of buyers were current at the Homebush yards. In the event of anything so untoward happening, the agents approached Mr. Alban Gee, manager Sydney Meat Preserving Company, Limited, and asked him what he could do to tide over such a prospective crisis. He assured the agents that he would do all possible to relieve the market, and if necessary supply the retail trade with meat. No strike took place, and some buyers denied that a threat to strike had been made, or that there was any foundation for the rumour.

A knowledge of the foregoing events is necessary, say those in a position to speak authoritatively, to an understanding of the subsequent movements of the parties in dispute. On the 29th ultimo the Buyers' Association sent a circular to a large number of consignors of stock to the Homebush yards, regretting that the association had not met the graziers in Sydney, and placed their grievances before them. The circular then proceeds to mention the terms upon which the selling agents do their business—that a subsidy of ½ per cent. is collected for subsidy to the Sydney Meat-preserving Company, Limited, and, practically, if the subsidy were abandoned it could be devoted to paying the buyers 2d in the £. A paragraph in the circular asks each stockowner if he is willing "that the present subsidy be divided amongst all purchasers, whether for local supply or for export, at the Homebush sales, in proportion to their purchases. . . . Or failing that, that the subsidy should be abandoned."

Upon the appearance of the circular the Homebush selling agents wrote to the Sydney Meat-preserving Company, Limited, and asked the directors what they contemplated doing in the event of the graziers agreeing to the request of the Buyers' Association. Sir John Lackey, K.C.M.G., chairman of the company, replied, and stated that the whole of the subsidy had been received by the S.M.P. Company since May, 1897, in accordance with the declared wish of 634 contributors, only six contributors being willing that the subsidy should be divided between the company and other exporters of meat. After enumerating some of the advantages that the company affords graziers, and the disadvantages the company occasionally suffer under by maintaining an even market, he concludes by saying "that we absolutely object to a division of the subsidy, and that its withdrawal will be followed by our most serious consideration of the new state of affairs so created."

The argument used by the defenders of the subsidy is that as there are only two or three big suppliers of carcase mutton to the Sydney trade—only two firms actually kill sheep at Glebe Island—and that as these three big buyers frequently combine there is consequently only one competitor against them, viz., the S.M.P. Company, and that if the subsidy were stopped it might be forced to pursue ordinary business methods. There are other buyers in the market always, but they are in a relatively small way of business. Buyers come from Kiama and intervening townships on the south coast, Lithgow, and occasionally Bathurst on the west, Moss Vale on the Southern line, and Newcastle on the Northern, while sheep are shipped to ports both north and south, &c., who give animation to the market; but when 50,000 to 60,000 sheep or more are penned in a week values are mainly determined by the big buyers in competition with the S.M.P. Company. Often supplies are heavy, not because of trade requirements, but through stress of weather and scarcity of feed, in consequence of drought, and that if pastoralists had to market their stock with no buyer concerned in maintaining paying values those would feel it most who could bear it least. On the other hand, some buyers say that if the subsidy were removed and all competitors concerned in getting stock as cheaply as they could more men would go into the trade, and prices would be equally as good.

Speaking to Mr. Allan Gee, manager of the S.M.P. Company, on the subject, he said: "The close of last Thursday's sheep market was evidence of the service the company rendered to contributors to the subsidy—in fact, all stockowners—for at 5 p.m. two of the big sheep buyers whose names are appended to the Buyers' Association circular left the sales, and practically left me to clear the market. Moreover, he said, the very circular, while ostensibly appealing to the pastoralists in the matter of a refund of 2d in the £ for cash, abandons that demand after a faint allusion to it, and devotes all the remaining paragraphs to detailing very doubtful advantages to the trade, and certainly more remote advantages to consignors if they cease to contribute the subsidy. The circular says that the buyers 'approached the stock salesmen and asked for an allowance of 2d in the £ on our cash purchases, and for the subsidy to be abandoned,' not a word of the abandonment of the subsidy was mentioned. Other statements and denials equally untrue are made. I see that the manager of the Austral Freezing Company denies my statement that three of the large buyers combined on a date and divided the purchases. I can only say that if an impartial committee such as is suggested in the 'Sydney Morning Herald' leader of to-day's issue is appointed, sufficient evidence could be adduced of the truthfulness of that and all my other statements.

Replies to the circular are still being received by the Buyers' Association, which will doubtless be forwarded to the subsidy committee in due course. The members of the committee are Messrs. J. D. Christian, Neville Griffiths, Duncan M'Master, and James Ewan.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY FINANCES.

The council clerk for the borough of Waverley has supplied the following report to the council:—"The receipts for the month of July is a record one for the past four years, and was only slightly exceeded in the month of August, 1897, in which year there was an exceedingly large amount of arrears of rates, viz., £4553, due to the council, added to which there were the current year's rates, therefore a larger source from which to draw upon, and the then council engaged a special collector to get them in. The accumulated arrears at February 4, 1901, viz., £1600, have been reduced by payments and allowances by £420, and practically the whole of last year's rates have been paid and a considerable portion of previous years' arrears. The balance is engaging attention, and instructions have been given to push on with them as quickly as possible, and expedite the work of collection. I hope to see the council's estimate with regard to payments of arrears more than realised. The amount received on account of current year's rates is £5032 out of a total for the whole year of £7215, or more than two-thirds received in four months and 10 days. Bank balances: The amount to the credit of the council at the bank on August 3, 1901, is £2111 4s 7d; on August 4, 1900, it was £1625 10s. The total receipts from all sources for half-year ended August 3 were £6395. The total expenditure for the same period was £5166.

SPORTS CLUB DEBATING SOCIETY.

The first ministerial debate in connection with the newly-established literary and debating branch of the New South Wales Amateur Sports Club, Limited, was held on Thursday night at the rooms, Hunter-street, when the government, led by Mr. F. A. Corti, affirmed:—"That a system of compulsory military training should be adopted in the Commonwealth." A spirited discussion followed, in which Messrs. L. W. Robinson, P. R. Wallace, R. H. Reid, A. W. Griffiths, J. C. Haighway, J. L. Smith, F. A. Randle, A. Gillies, J. B. Wright, E. Howes, C. A. Grocott, and J. Alexander, took part. The government was defeated by a two to one majority, and Mr. Robinson was asked to form the next ministry.

CHURCH NEWS.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

The Archbishop of Sydney on Sunday evening preached in the cathedral; on Monday presided at a lecture given under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association; on Tuesday afternoon presided at a conference held in the chapter house of the collectors and friends of the church society, in the evening presided at a social gathering of the parishioners in connection with the anniversary of Holy Trinity, Erskineville; on Thursday afternoon presided at a conference on temperance reform, held under the auspices of the Council of the Churches; this afternoon he will lay the foundation stone of additions to be made to the Church of St. Bede, Drummoyne.

The Bishop of Bathurst on Sunday morning and evening preached at St. Thomas', North Sydney, on the occasion of the anniversary of the dedication festival.

The Bishop of Grafton and Armidale preached on Sunday morning in the cathedral, and in the afternoon and evening at St. John's, Darlinghurst.

It has been decided to enlarge St. Philip's, Camperdown, which is within the parish of St. Stephen's, Newtown. Mr. Porter's tender for £101 2s 6d has been accepted, and the work will be proceeded with at once. About £80 has been subscribed of the amount required, and the parochial council anticipate no difficulty in obtaining the balance.

Lieutenant-Colonel Watson, commanding 1st Battalion of the Church Lads' Brigade, has made his annual inspection of A (St. Stephen's) company, and reports that the company keeps up the high state of efficiency for which it has been so conspicuous since its formation in 1896; that it is remarkably well disciplined, and reflects the good training it has had at the hands of its officers. In connection with the Church Lads' Brigade the authorities are arranging for a concert and military display, under the patronage of his Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

The ladies' committee on Thursday afternoon attended at the chapter house for the purpose of issuing tickets, &c., in connection with the forthcoming diocesan festival. A very large number of tickets is in circulation, and the arrangements are well advanced, promising a most successful gathering. The tea will be held in the basement of the Town Hall. An organ recital by Mr. Joseph Massey will be given at 6.30, and the public meeting will be held at 7.45.

The new mission hall at Lilyfield is completed, and will be opened for Divine service by the Archbishop on Friday evening next. It is a substantial building erected on a commanding site. The fittings are neat. The building is 50ft. in length by 23ft. in width, with a porch 7ft. x 7ft. at the western end.

The Rev. W. Swindlehurst, of St. James', Wickham, whose illness was reported some weeks ago, returned to his parish yesterday. His health is improved, and he hopes to be able to resume duty in the course of a few days.

The Rev. W. R. Mousey when at Mackay visited the Selwyn Mission to the South Sea Islanders, and delivered an address to the "boys" on the New Guinea mission.

Special services were held in St. Matthew's, Bondi, on Sunday last in memory of the late Princess Royal of England. The building was draped in black and purple. Miss Ada Dunn presided at the organ, and the Rev. R. G. Knox preached in the absence of the rector, who was temporarily indisposed.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

At half-past 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon Cardinal Moran will bless and open the new church school at Thornleigh, Pennant Hills. A special train will leave Redfern at 2.30 p.m. In the morning the Cardinal will preside at the annual breakfast of the A.H.C. Guild to be given in the Cardinal's hall.

Thursday last being the Feast of the Assumption was observed throughout the archdiocese as a day for the reception by the children of their first communion.

A movement has been initiated for the erection of a church on the Greenwich-road.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Mr. S. Henry Barraclough, M.M.E., who left Sydney by the R.M.S. Ventura on Tuesday last on a tour through the United States and Great Britain, has been appointed to represent the Congregational Union of New South Wales at the triennial assembly of the Congregational Church of the United States, which is to meet at Portland, Maine, in October next.

The Northern Association of the Congregational churches, of which the Rev. Loyal L. Wirt, of Newcastle (New South Wales) is president, has framed a new constitution to guide its operations in the Newcastle district.

The Rev. George Heighway, of Dunedin, New Zealand, is revisiting his former charge at Gerringong, in the Illawarra district, and will be preaching there for three Sundays.

On Thursday evening at the Woollahra Congregational Church, Queen-street, a meeting was held in connection with the local branch of the Twentieth Century Fund. Pastor F. B. Cowling presided. Addresses explanatory of the objects of the fund were delivered by the Rev. George Campbell, M.A., Mr. W. E. Hawkins (clerical and lay secretary), and Mr. T. R. Steel. It was announced that the sum of £125 had been collected towards the fund to date.

WESLEYAN.

The Rev. J. B. Stephenson, of South Australia, has been for some time past suffering from disease of the heart and dropsy. His condition has become so serious as to cause the greatest anxiety to his family.

In Newcastle district meetings have been held to effect local arrangements for the consummation of Methodist union next year.

The Rev. George Lane, president of the conference, is on a visit to the circuits on the northern rivers of the State.

To-morrow the Rev. F. Colwell will preach morning and evening in Wesley Church, Chippendale. His subject in the morning will be "The Labourer's Pay." He will be assisted in the evening by the Rev. J. Green, whose subject will be "Religious Experiences of a Military Chaplain." Mr. Green recently returned from South Africa. There will be special music.

BAPTIST.

The anniversary of the Carlton Baptist Sunday School was celebrated on Sunday last. The morning service was conducted by the Rev. J. A. Soper, the children's service, at 3 p.m., by Messrs. William White and M'Leod, and the evening service by the Rev. R. J. Middleton. Special singing was rendered by the scholars under the conductorship of Mr. J. Waters. On Tuesday the tea and public meeting were held. Rev. R. J. Middleton presided. Reports read by the secretary, Mr. J. T. Middleton, and the treasurer, Mr. T. Harrison, showed the school to be in a prosperous condition.

N.S.W. CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR UNION.

During the 10 years which the Christian Endeavour movement has worked amongst the different Churches of this State there has been constant and steady growth. There are societies now in all the Protestant Churches. Endeavourers are looking forward to the tenth annual convention, which is expected to be a record one. A powerful choir, under the leadership of Mr. J. J. Lowden, is in training, and most of the larger buildings of the city have been requisitioned for the convention meetings. Prominent clergymen from all over the State are to take part in the meetings of the convention.

WESTERN SUBURBS MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION.

The eleventh annual Christian conference in connection with the Western Suburbs Ministerial Association is to be commenced on Monday afternoon at the Petersham Town Hall, and to be continued during the afternoons and evenings following until Thursday inclusive. The Rev. William Allen is to preside. The subject for conference is "Thy Kingdom Come." Addresses will be delivered by the chairman and the Revs. J. Anderson Gardiner, B.A., N. J. Cocks, M.A., W. G. Taylor, A. J. Waldock, J. W. Leadley, J. H. Mullins, John Dixon, George Hanson, D.D., J. F. Blair, P. J. Stephen, Seth Jones. A missionary meeting will be held on Thursday, when the Rev. E. Price will preside, and addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Loyal L. Wirt, and Mrs. W. E. Bromilow. A young people's service will be held in the evening, when the Revs. Harold Wheen and Joseph Parker will be the speakers. Interval meetings will be presided over by the Revs. D. A. Ewers, F. C. Boyer, Dr. Porter, and R. A. Thompson, B.A. Preparatory meetings will also be held. Sankey's hymns are to be sung. The Revs. M. Beavly and G. T. Walden are the secretaries of the conference.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, ERSKINEVILLE.

The annual services in connection with Holy Trinity Church, Erskineville, were held on Sunday last. In the morning the pulpit was occupied by the Rev. F. M. Dalrymple (rector), and in the evening the service was conducted by the Rev. Archdeacon Langley. A large congregation was present at each service, and special hymns and anthems were rendered by the choir.

On Tuesday evening the annual tea and public meeting took place. The following ladies presided at the tables:—Mesdames Dalrymple, Robinson, Braid, Handel, Smith, Bourne, Nicholls, Casserly, Richards, Watson, Clark, Newsome, Dewsbury, Fleay, Fowler, Stone, James, Bloomfield, Hamblin, Eve, and the ladies of the Erskineville branch of the Y.W.C.A. There was a crowded attendance. The Archbishop presided at the meeting which followed the tea, and delivered an address. He congratulated the Rev. F. M. Dalrymple and the parishioners of Erskineville on the progress they had made in parochial work, also upon the unity displayed by the people as a body. He wished them every prosperity. Addresses were delivered by the Revs. F. T. Trivett, C. C. Dunstan, B. Stephens, H. T. Holliday, and the rector. Musical selections were tendered by the Misses Clair, Harrison, Barnier, Stewart, Gibb, S. Watson, and Messrs. Manning and Connelly.

ST. ALBAN'S, DARLINGTON.

On Thursday last the members of St. Alban's ladies' working society met at the residence of the secretary, Miss Pease, of Newtown-road, and presented their president, Mrs. Luke Parr, with an address of farewell, accompanied by a solid silver teapot, suitably inscribed, on the occasion of her leaving the parish. Mrs. Primrose read the address and made the presentation.

The Rev. W. H. Steele, M.A., of Tallangatta, Victoria, a younger brother of the Rev. Jas. Steele, Picton, has, we are informed, won the Bromby prize for Biblical Hebrew, open to graduates of the Melbourne University who have been residents of Trinity College.

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MARRICKVILLE.—Cottage, double front, superior, 7 rms., convs., £635, terms. Butler, agent, Dulw. Hill.

DULWICH HILL. New Brick COTTAGE, 5 rooms, laundry, tubs, copper, well finished, land 23 x 143, Torrens, small deposit, balance like rent, close tram. Tel., 276 Pet. BUTLER, Agent, Dulwich Hill.

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MOSMAN.—Brick COTTAGE, 6 rooms, kit., laundry, bathroom, &c., handsomely finished throughout, land 40 x 132, Torrens title, price £700. STANWAY and SLACK, Milson's Point.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Brick COTTAGE, near park, choice position, 6 rooms, kit., laundry, bathroom, &c., land 40 x 132, Torrens title, price £750. STANWAY and SLACK, Milson's Point.

YOUNG Orchard, 7½ ac., Citrus, Summer Fruit and Vines, in full-bearing order; poultry run, Cottage, and Outhouses, £300, cash or terms. Take 'bus at station. J. HOADLEY, Canal-road, Merrylands.

WAVERLEY.—Det. Cott., 5 r. and k., all con., perf. order, 20 x 120, £460. 100 Flinders-st., Moore Park.

ALEXANDRIA.—Pretty W.B. COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kit., stove, bathroom, laundry, cop., tubs, workshop, sewer connected, standing on two allotments of ground. Torrens title, only £250 cash. 86 Buckland-st., Alexandria.

BALMAIN, Gordon-st.—Faithfully-built Brick COTTAGE, 4 rooms, hall, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, sewerage con., easy terms. Apply 29 Falcon-street, North Sydney.

BONDI.—For SALE, stylish new Modern Cottage, contains 4 large rooms, kitchen, l'dry, pantry, bathroom, 1 minute from tram, Torrens title, cash or easy terms. Apply Kin—street, off Bennett-street. Ellison, builder.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Sound Investments, returning over 10 p.c. D. J. M'Intyre and Co., 30 Junction-st., N.S.

NEW Brick Cottage, 6 rms., bath, pantry, l'dry, &c., £525. Warbrick, 49 Carlton-crescent, Summer Hill.

CRONULLA, Port Hacking, ocean side, large and small lots. W. Wilshire, Prospect-rd., Summer Hill.

WAVERLEY.—New double-fronted COTTAGE, 6 rs., kit., all mod. convs., electric bells, dome ceilings, &c., £50 dep., bal. rent, no interest. Apply 298 Oxford-street, Paddington; or Tel., 64 Pad.

NEWTOWN.—10 Cottages, showing 10 per cent., safe invest.; smaller, £230. James and Co., 110 L'pool-st.

STRATHFIELD.—A good Shop and Residence, cheap, land 50 x 200, Torrens. M. Rigden, 70 Hunter-st.

RANDWICK.—Pair semi-detached new VILLAS, cheap. M. Rigden, 70 Hunter-st.

LEURA.—Allot. of LAND, 139 x 132, 3 m. from sta., cleared, £80 cash. E. M., Herald Office.

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FOR SALE, corner SHOP, 4 rooms, w. h., stable, back ent., 23 Ebly-st., near Denison-st., Waverley.

FOR SALE, new mdrn. Bk. COTT., 3 bedrms., all mdn., near station. Dodson, 2 Mosely-st., Strathfield.

THIRLMERE, nr. sta.—10a. Orchard, Poul. Farm, 5-r. Cott., fenced, £200. 113 Smith-st., Summer Hill.

FOR SALE, SHOP and Dwelling, of 5 rooms; inspect. Mrs. Fritz, Forest-rd., Hurstville.

ANNANDALE.—For Sale, nice Cott., d. and d. rms., 3 bedr., bath, tram and tr. S. H. Lewis, 1 8 Pitt-st.

BEXLEY, Arncliffe.—Lovely Building Sites, from 5s foot, now is the time. A. Goddard, Arncliffe.

ARNCLIFFE HEIGHTS.—D.F. brick COTTAGE, 6 large rooms, &c., easy terms. Clifton, Gordon st.

HITCHCOCK, Enmore, supplies TIMBER at bedrock prices. Builders, give me a call.

A CHARMING COTTAGE RESIDENCE
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beautifully situated, easterly aspect,
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contg. 7 rooms, kitchen, storeroom, &c.
Land 40 x 130. Torrens.
Only £1100. Terms, £350 dep.
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AT RUSHCUTTER BAY. A splendid LEASEHOLD BUILDING BLOCK for SALE, having 60ft. frontage x 160ft. deep. Good corner, with lane at rear, ground rent only £8 p. year. Good investment for erecting, say, 3 cottages, which would always let readily. Only £100. Terms if required. PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-street.

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ENMORE.—A very rare opportunity.—Det. Double-fronted Bk. Cott. VILLA, position undoubted, good street close to park, contains 5 good rooms, bath, kit., pantry, fixed tubs, w'house, marble mantels, tiled hearths, verandah, ceilings high (corniced and decorated), iron railing on stone coping in front. The cottage has only just been completed, and all work is of first-class order and all appointments up to date. An inspection of this charming Villa to intending purchasers is requested as early as possible, there being splendid value for the price asked, £575. J. H. HITCHCOCK, Simmons-street and Enmore-road. Tel., 225 Newtown.

DULWICH HILL.—LAND, 46 x 160. A PERFECT GIFT.—On which is built 2 Brick Cotts., 3 rms., &c., each, and one W.B. Cott., 4 rms., &c., fine vegetable garden, healthy position; land has frontage to two streets. The lot can be divided if necessary, so buyers can have their choice of either. Do not miss this fine chance for a home. Terms can be arranged. Small deposit, balance by way of rent, including interest. £550. J. H. HITCHCOCK, Simmons-street and Enmore-road. Tel., 225 Newtown.

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CITY, first-class position.—4 Bk. Dwellings, &c., rentals £208 yr. Price £2100.
STANMORE.—3 Bk. Cotts., kit., &c., let sound tenants at £112 yr. Price £1050.
NEWTOWN.—3 Bk. Houses and Shops, splendidly let, £186 yr. Price £1250.
NEWTOWN.—4 Bk. Cotts., 3 rms., kit., &c., each let £130 yr. Price £1100.
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FOR SALE, a choice double-front RESIDENCE in Johnstone-street, Annandale, large din., draw., dome ceiling, marble and art mantels, 4 bedrooms, boxroom, bathroom, hot and cold water, l. press, 6ft. hall, 7ft. balcony, every mod. conv., land 38 x 193, £950. Also Cottage, containing 5 rooms, kit., land, land 20 x 180, price £580. A. GREEN, opp. Council-chambers, Annandale.

COTTAGES, Petersham, 4 rooms and kitchen, tiled hearths, marble mantels, copper, tubs, bath, sink, pantry, lofty and decorated ceilings, cavity walls, well ventilated, connected with sewer, iron railings on stone coping, land 32 x 110, 20ft. lane at back; deposit, balance easy terms, £475; Torrens Title. Also COTTAGES similar to above, 5 rooms and kitchen, £500. NOTE.—This property will bear the strictest investigation. W. CRICHTON, 244 Parramatta-road, Petersham.

NORTON-STREET, Leichhardt.—2 new pretty detached COTTAGES, containing parlour, large dining-room, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, washhouse, pantry, marble mantels, tiled hearths, enriched cornices, every convenience, buggy entrance, Torrens title; price only £400 each, or £775 the pair, cash or easy terms. Inspect this bargain. Good investment. Apply ADAMS, Builder, 16 Marlborough-street, Leichhardt.

ANNANDALE, Johnston-street, three doors from Piper-street.—Handsome detached COTTAGE, just completed, containing parlour, dining-room 17 x 15, 3 good bedrooms, hall, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, wardrobe, beautiful enriched cornices, marble mantels, tiled grates and hearths, sewer, tubs, copper, lavatory basin, sink, pantry, every convenience, stand any architect's inspection, splen. position, facing reserve, cavity walls, Torrens title, land 19ft. to lane; price £575, cash or easy terms. Apply Adams, builder, 16 Marlborough-st., Leichhardt; or perm.

FOR SALE, Strathfield, just completed, 5-roomed COTTAGE, bathroom, kitchen, lavatory, all modern conveniences; price £750, terms. Apply W. NICHOLLS, Tuke-street, Homebush.

ASHFIELD.—Brick Cottage, 9 rooms, hall, study, kit., laundry, 2 baths, pantry, in splendid order and situation, land 1/8 x 210, £1250, Torrens; a bargain.
NEWTOWN.—seven Cottages, returning £200 4s, for £1800; 10 Cottages, ret. £234 for £2150, Torrens.
CONCORD.—Splendid Allotment, 66 x 198, £3 per ft.
ORCHARD at Kurrajong, 167 acres, splendid property, 6-roomed Cottage, perm. water supply, reduced to £1700; must sell; great bargain.
RANDWICK, Belmore-road, near Allison-road.—Allotment, 49ft. 8in. x 137ft., freehold, £400, terms.
STANMORE, 2 mins. station.—Two New Semi-detached Cottages, 5 rooms, offices, let at 16s each, £850, Torrens.
W. A. PETTIT, 16 Australia-street, Newtown.

NEWTOWN, Watkin-street, 2 mins. Tram and Train.—Brick HOUSE, slate roof, 6r., hall, kit., all offices, exceptionally well built, £525, £250 can remain at 5 per cent. W. A. PETTIT, 16 Australia-street, Newtown.

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HITCHCOCK, Enmore, arranges Loans for builders on exceptionally good terms. Tel., 225 Newtown.

BALMAIN.—Brick COTTAGE, well built, containing 4 rooms, bath, copper, tubs, marble mantels, sewer connected, price £350, bargain. GEORGE CLUBB, Auctioneer, Balmain.

GLEBE POINT, Wigram-road.—Brick HOUSE, 7 rooms, stabling, all conveniences, price £750. GEORGE CLUBB, Auctioneer, Balmain.

BEXLEY.—Brick Cottage, 4 rooms, land 90 x 288, £270. George Clubb, auctioneer, Balmain.

BALMAIN.—Terrace 3 splendid Brick COTTAGES, in excellent position, ann. rentals £150, always let, price £1050, good investment. GEORGE CLUBB, Auctioneer, Balmain.

DRUMMOYNE. 2 Brick Cottages, 4 rooms, all con., £600 both. George Clubb, Balmain.

A. DEWHURST and Co., Parramatta-road, South Annandale, have the following Properties for Sale:—
ANNANDALE.—B. House, 5 r., k., gas, hall, bathroom, laundry, &c., Torrens title, £365.
ENMORE.—Det. H., 4 r., k., sewer, stables, &c., land 38 x 99, £420.
LEICHHARDT.—Nice B. Cott., 4 r., h., kit., bathrm., cop., tubs, gas, sewer, Torrens, £290.
LEWISHAM.—Choice pos., d.f. bow window, b. Cott., fol. doors, 7 r., sewer, every conv., land 47 x 135, £650.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Above reserve, splendid little Cottage Home, 4 rms., 5 mins. tram, garden, water, £205, or best offer, half-cash, terms, undoubted bargain, m. couples inspect immediately. Africa, P.O., N. Sydney.

CAMPERDOWN.—For Sale, 4 brick Cottages, Grose-st., opp. Prince Alfred Hospital. Apply 35 Grose-st.

N. SYD. Water ftge. Residences, House, Land, Lots, cash or terms arrgd. Clarke, Ward, and Co., Mil. Pt.

N. SYD. To Builders, 175 x 140 65s, 100 x 650 50s, 90 x 120 £8, 80 x 184 £4 10s. Clarke, Ward, and Co., Mil. P.

N. SYD.—Farm, 10 miles city, 29 a. cul., tmod. villa, 8 rooms, city water. Clarke, Ward, and Co., Mil. Pt.

DULWICH HILL, close to Tram.—New Brick COTTAGE, double front, slate roof, 4 large rooms, hall, kitchen, stove, sink, bath, laundry, pantry, gas, city water, sewer, marble mantels, tiled hearths and verandah, elaborate corniced metal ceilings, land 40 by 120, Torrens, splendid position, price £535.

MARRICKVILLE, 1 minute of Station and 4 of Tram.—Gentleman's RESIDENCE, built of stone, slate roof, containing 8 large rooms, hall, kitchen, stove, sink, bath, laundry, gas, city water, tiled verandah, land 40 by 160ft., just been thoroughly renovated inside and out, worth £800, sacrificing for £650.

CHEAP LAND at MARRICKVILLE or DULWICH HILL, good positions, from 17s 6d foot. H. W. DUDLEY, Estate Agent, Terminus, Marrickville.

MARRICKVILLE.—Wanted to Buy, Detached Brick COTTAGE of 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., up to £250 cash. Purchaser waiting. H. W. DUDLEY, Terminus, Marrickville.

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT, 1½ mile station.—25 acres ORCHARD, Pig and Poultry Farm, 6 acres mixed Fruit Orchard, bal. cleared and cultivation paddocks, alluvial soil, permanent deep creek, 5-roomed cottage and outbuildings, poultry runs, stock, implements, carts, &c., everything £525; liberal terms. SLACK and CO., Auctioneers, Parramatta. Tel., 44.

BALMAIN EAST, Looke's-avenue.—Det. Cottage RESIDENCE, 10 rooms, offices, garden, &c., splendid harb. view. Other properties to suit clients. WILLIAM ADAM, House and Com. Agent, 53 Darling-st., Balmain.

FACTORY SITE for SALE, 100ft. to street and railway, 2 miles from Sydney. Clegg, Newtown.

STANMORE.—Brick COTT. for SALE, 5 r., &c., high land. J. G. Clegg, Newtown.

NORTH SYDNEY.—For SALE, B. COT., 4 min. from wharf, must sell. J. G. Clegg, 67 King-st., Newtown.

FOR SALE, COTT., 4 rs., kit. evy. conv., sewer con., nr. tram, train, £375. Bryant, P'sham-rd., M'ville.

LEICHHARDT.—Brick Terrace, showing 14½ p.c. clear after pyng. exs., £1400. Wrugge and Hunter, L'hardt.

BARGAIN.—2 City Allotments, each 19ft. x 33ft., adjoining, £4 5s foot. 19 King-st., Newtown.

WESTERN SUBURBS COTTAGES, HOUSES, and RESIDENCES to LET and for SALE, every locality. HUGHES and RAMSAY, late R. Collin, Summer Hill Rail. Stat. Tel., 38 Ashfield.

OWNER leaving colony, time to buy two D.F. Brick COTTAGES, 5 and 10 minutes station; Land, 40 x 150 and ½ acre, coachhouse and stabling, every conv., chp. cash or terms, no agents. 15 Elizabeth-street, Croydon.

HITCHCOCK, Enmore.—Vacant Allot., 3 min. Post-office, about 70 x 90, a gift, 50s. Tel., 225 Newtown.

MANLY.—New brick COTT., all mod. imp., land 40 x 117, £550. Hill, Victoria Hall. Tel. 130, Manly.

MANLY.—2 Weatherboard COTTS., nearly new, ret. 10 p.c. clear, price £550. Hill, agent. Tel. 130, M.

NEWTOWN.—Good Build. Allot., 1 min. tram, train, 32 x 112, Torrens. 139 Lord-st., Nun., nr. St. P. stn.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Friday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market business moves along pretty evenly—it may be said with an entire absence of animation. There is nothing to tempt a speculator to buy; and, on the other hand, little or nothing to induce a holder to sell merely for speculative purposes. The latter may want to buy a station or a house, or to distribute his assets, or otherwise to dispose of his stock and share property, and thus throw his shares on the market, but to sell for the purpose of dealing in other stocks there is little in the way of inducement. The relative values of the different classes of stock have been graded after full consideration and free selection for many months past, and there is little cause for selling out of one class to buy into another, with brokers' commissions and stamp duties to come out of the operation. The one thing which may be expected to give a stimulus to the market is greater activity in business in other descriptions of property and a more active demand for capital in the development of the industries of the country. An undue proportion of the floating funds of the State has been directed into Stock Exchange securities in consequence of the general depression; and as the number and amount of these have not in any way grown proportionately, everything has been pushed up, and until there is a more general return to normal conditions, and the amount of floating capital reduced, no great movement in prices and no considerable business in stocks can be anticipated. To-day's transactions were few in number and unimportant. All Government debentures and stocks were quoted as before. Commercial Bank of Sydney further receded ¼, selling at 31½, other banks steady, as also bank deposits, Australian Joint Stock Bank B's being quitted at 13s 1d, the previous price. Steam and Insurance were unaltered. A sale of Australian Gaslight at 17 comprised the only reported business under this head. Australian Brewery continue to rise, 5s 6d being offered. In miscellaneous stocks Mont de Piete were quitted at 27s 6d, and Silverton Tram had buyer at 56s.

The following sales were reported in investment stocks on the Sydney Stock Exchange to-day:—Noon: A.J.S. Bank "B" Deposits, 13s 1d. Later: Australian Gaslight, 17. Afternoon: Nil. Late sales: Commercial Bank of Sydney, 31½; New South Wales Mont de Piete, 27s 6d; Colonial Sugar, 40. The closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of Shares.	Shares paid up.	Last Div. per annum.	Prices. Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.	*Yield to Investor.
F. STOCK &c.	£	£	£	p.c.				p.c.
N.S.W. F. S., 1892	549,350	...	...	4	104	103	105	3¾
Do. Act, 1872	590,180	...	...	4	...	...	...	3¾
Ditto 3 p.c.	...	...	...	3	90¾	94½	96½	...
Do. 1924-28	...	...	...	3	98¾	...	...	...
Do. T. Bills	1,000,000	...	...	3½	100½	99¾	100¼	3½
Do. Deb. 1909	399,300	...	...	5	101	100¾	101	4
Do. Deb. 1901	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	...
Q. D., 1913	...	...	...	4	104½	...	...	3¾
Ditto, 3½ p.c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
N.Z. D., 1915	300,000	...	...	4	107½	...	...	3½
Ditto, 1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Col. Sugar—D., 1914	...	...	...	5	111	110	...	...
BANKS.								
Aust. J.S.	1,168,041	10	7½	...	13/	...	...	...
Australasia	1,600,000	40	40	10	...	81	86	...
City	240,000	10	8	4	82/6	9r	...	7
New Issue	160,000	10	8	4	86/6	85/6	87/6	7½
Commercial of Australia	1,192,440	6	5½	...	...	...	...	...
Do. pref.	2,117,070	10	10	3	6 16/	6¼	6¾	4½
Commerc. of Sydney	1,000,000	25	12½	10	31½	31½	31¾	4
N. of Aus., or.	1,498,270	...	5	3	70/	69/	71	...
Ditto, pref.	305,780	10	10	5	...	11½	...	4½
N.S. Wales	2,000,000	20	20	10	46½	46½	46½	4½
New Zealand	800,000	...	...	...	39/	35	...	...
N. Q'nsland	100,000	1	2	2½	13/	...	...	...
Q'land Nat.	412,841	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Royal of Q.	386,650	...	5½	5½	46/6	44/	48/	5½
Union	1,500,000	75	25	8	...	40	43	...
DEPOSITS.								
A.J.S. Bk.—Class A	...	...	...	3	14/9	14/9½	15/	4½
Class B	...	...	...	3	13/1	13/	13/1	4½
Ditto Inac.	788,035	...	...	3½	10/3	10/3	...	7
Com. of Aus., A ser., 1898	965,409	...	...	3½	19/3	18/9	...	3½
Ditto assets	3,400,000	...	...	3	15/6	15/6	...	3¾
E.S.A. Insc. pref.	880,415	...	...	3	14/3	18/	...	4½
Do. def.	860,290	...	...	4½	17/	16/9	...	...
Ditto Deb.	982,547	...	...	4	19/8	18/6	...	4
Ditto Ter.	309,128	...	...	4	20/9	19/9	...	4
Q. National	...	...	...	3½	...	12/3	12/9	3½
STEAM.								
Bal. N. Ferry x d	16,420	1	1	10	36/	...	...	5½
Illawarra	58,098	5	3½	8½	6¾	6	6½	4½
Newcastle	100,000	1	1	6	17/6	17/	17/9	6¾
North Coast	131,250	1	17/6	8	25/	22/6	23/	6
Syd. Ferries	120,000	1	1	7	31/6	31	32/	4½
P. Jackson	25,000	59	25	5	...	...	27/	...
Ditto, Co-operative	8,745	...	1	2½	17/	...	19/	...
INSURANCE.								
A. M. Fire	50,000	1	10	16¾	...	81 6	...	...
Mer. Mut.	30,000	1	4/	22½	11/8	11/6	12/	7½
New Zealand	200,000	10	2	15	...	...	...	6
N. Q'land	50,000	1	10/	8	...	...	...	...
Ditto	3,437	1	5/	8	...	...	...	...
United	62,500	10	2½	10	75/	74/6	75/	6½
Ditto new	5,725	10	12/6	10	16/	14/6	15/6	...
GAS.								
Albury	7,500	1	19/	10	18/	18	...	6½
Australian	681,798	6	6	9	17	16¾	17	5½
C. Towers	20,000	10	10	8	14/	14/	14/6	...
Goulburn	10,000	1	1	15	48/6	46/	...	...
Grafton	8,000	1	1	8	24/	...	...	6½
Manly	10,000	1	1	7	...	...	...	5½
Ditto New	5,000	1	10/	7	...	...	...	...
Mudgee	8,000	1	1	6	17	16/	...	7
Newcastle	25,128	2	2	15	6¼	6	...	4½
Ditto	...	...	1/	...	14/6	15	...	...
North Sh.	100,000	1	1	7	30/	28/6	30/	4½
Ditto New	...	...	5/	7	...	10	11/	3¼
Maitland Gas	15,500	5	5	...	...	5¾	6	...
BREWERIES.								
Albury	10,500	...	10	5	6/9	5/	7/6	7½
Ditto	4,000	1	1	5	...	...	...	...
Australian	96,000	1	1	...	4/2	5/6	...	...
C. and Wood Bros.	250,000	1	1	4	11/9	11/3	11/9	6½
Marshall's	29,701	10	5/	6	4/	4/	4/9	7½
Perkins's	58,375	15	15	17½	36	36/	37/6	7¼
Tooth's	900,000	1	1	7	29/	28/6	29/3	4½
MISCELL'NS								
Aarons'	17,800	15	10/	8	4/6	...	4/5	...
Aus. News	40,000	1	1	5	...	14/	15/	6¾
B.H.W. Sup.	186,500	1	1	12½	...	17/	20/	...
Burns, Philp	275,000	1	1	8	35/	33/	35/	4½
New Issue	...	1	5/	8	9/	8/	...	4½
Col. Sugar	1,872,976	20	20	10	40	40	40½	5
D'gety & Co.	1,000,000	20	5	8	5/13/9	...	5¾	7
Emu B. Rail	100,000	1	1	...	3/6	...	...	...
Emu Gravel	34,000	1	1	5	13/	12/9	13/3	8½
Malt Co., p. up	...	...	...	...	11/	...	...	...
Ditto, con.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13/	...
Mel. Trams	80,800	1	10	10	...	21/6	...	9½
Mont de Piete	74,144	1	1	7½	27/6	27/	...	5½
Mort's Dock	150,000	1	1	6	17/	...	...	7
Ditto Pref.	45,091	1	1	6	22/6	21/	22/9	5½
F. Food, Ice	165,114	1	18/	...	9/9	9/3	9/6	...
Shale and Oil	75,000	1	15/	...	4/	3/6	4/6	...
New York & B. Tob.	15,000	1	1	10	...	20/6	21/9	9
Perm. Trust.	25,000	5	2/6	5	2/	1/11	2/	6½
Perpet Trust.	25,000	10	5/	...	9/	8/9	9/6	4½
Richardson & Wrench	60,000	1	1	5	...	13/	...	7
Sil. Tram	197,800	1	1	40	54/6	56/	58/9	14¼
Syd. Exch	30,000	10	10	7	...	15	...	4½
Syd. Hydr.	75,600	1	1	10	47/	47/	...	4¼
Ditto	37,500	1	10/	10	27/7½	27/	...	...
Vol. Land Or.	...	...	...	...	...	...	165	...
LAND & BD.								
A. Mut. Dep.	...	...	...	...	44	...	...	...
Excels. Dep.	...	...	...	...	7/3	7/3	...	...
Fed. B. Dep.	...	...	...	...	14/	...	...	...
Haymark. D.	...	...	13/	8	12/6	...	...	...
Ditto Shares	...	...	...	...	...	8/	...	...
Ind. Prov.	60,065	20	20	8	...	...	...	6
Intercol. Inv.	33,868	1	15	7	16/	15/9	17/9	6½
Sy. Pre. Land	...	...	...	...	3/9	2/6	...	...
Syd. & S. Dep.	...	...	...	...	8/	...	...	...
N'castle Build.	...	...	...	...	15/	...	...	...

* Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution; otherwise on the last half-yearly one.

The rainfall in the Western districts and southern parts of the State will do much good, as it was greatly wanted, and it is to be hoped that the clouds will not pass away without giving an adequate supply. This is the time of the year, after a rather dry winter, when a downpour would be attended with great advantage.

A question has been asked as to whether goods imported on which duty has been paid could be liable in any way for a higher duty, imposed by the Commonwealth, should they not have actually passed beyond the Government wharf or bonded store, where they may be left for convenience. We imagine that the Government having accepted the lower duty, a higher one could not be imposed. Clause 127 of the Act relating to customs received by the Senate from the House of Representatives reads as follows:—"All import duties shall be paid at the rate in force when the goods are entered for home consumption." The 35th, 36th, and 37th clauses dealing with entries read as follows:—"35. Entries may be made and passed for all goods subject to the control of the customs. 36. Entries shall be made by the delivery of the entry by the owner to the collector. 37. Entries shall be passed by the collector signing the entry, and on the passing of the entry the goods shall be deemed to be entered, and any entry so passed shall be warrant for dealing with the goods in accordance with the entry, and the goods shall forthwith be dealt with accordingly." When discussed a day or two back at a meeting of representative commercial men who have had extended acquaintance with customs practices, the opinion was that the Collector of Customs could not legally demand a higher duty than that which had been already paid. But their opinion was the very sound one—that the safest course was to remove the goods beyond Government control on payment of the duty; that you can never tell what Governments will do in these days.

The report of the Australian Agricultural Company for 1900 shows net revenue aggregating £111,616. Out of this £75,000 was devoted to the payment of dividends. The net revenue exceeded that earned in 1899 by £33,925. The profits in the colliery department show an increase of £9716 over the earnings in 1899, this increase being the result of a large output, brisk trade, and better prices during the last four months of the year. The revenue derived from the company's stations, including the proceeds of the wool, amounted to £61,815, being an increase of £20,022 over the earnings in 1899. The accounts show that this increase was wholly due to the larger amount realised for the wool clip owing to the high prices then ruling. The net proceeds were £57,611, as against £38,412 in the previous year. Both Warrah and Gloucester were again favoured by the seasons, and the demand for stock of all descriptions was good. On December 31, 1900, there were 177,088 sheep and 17,290 cattle on the stations, besides which there were 4060 frozen lambs in transitu for the London market. Some improvement in the demand for land on the company's Newcastle estate was noticeable during the year, and several lots were disposed of at satisfactory prices.

The London monetary situation this week is easier than last week. The Bank reserve has risen no less than £1,688,000, largely as the result of an addition of the supplement of the Government deposits by the payment of an instalment of the £60,000,000 loan. That instalment under normal conditions would be £6,000,000; but probably some portion had been prepaid. This and the continued heavy war expenditure prevent more than £3,056,000 appearing as the addition to the Government deposits. Some portion of this no doubt is represented by the reduction of £1,438,000 in the amount of the other deposits. The demand for outside accommodation was reduced by £318,000; but the bank invested £299,000 of its additional funds in public securities. The general outcome of the movements was to leave the reserve at the substantial proportion of 50·93 per cent. of the liabilities. The figures easily account for the reduction in the open market rate of discount to 2¾ per cent. Unless the prospective movements of capital should have a significance not apparent here, we should not be surprised soon to see a further reduction of the bank rate below 3 per cent. The conditions that were controlling the English money market at July 6 were thus put by the "Statist" of July 6:—"The fact is that the bank failures in Germany, expected trouble in Belgium, the stringency of money in New York, the unusually high American exchange in spite of the favourable trade balance in favour of that country, and the continuance of the war, have created a feeling of uneasiness, and there is consequently a disposition to await developments." Our London contemporary predicted that the distrust in Germany and Belgium would mean the transference of money to London and the continuance of fairly low rates there. The high American exchange was also a favourable feature, as it indicated the payment by securities and loans for a portion of the wheat and cotton imports, and consequently that America had less ability to take gold from us. Doubtless, however, the last two shipments from Sydney represented America's power to draw gold from England, which simply went from here by way of exchange.

Perhaps the feature of the financial cables is the further recovery of 1⅛ in Goschen's Consols. This rise is doubtless due to the easier money market, and to the more assured feeling with regard to the war consequent on the stringent measures to be taken in its prosecution. Australian Government securities generally have not shared in the upward movement; Queensland 4's, however, are 1 higher.

Bradford tops maintain their position, the market being reported as very firm at last week's prices. Tallow has risen 6d on the fortnight, but the industrial metals—copper, tin, and lead—are all reported as lower on the week. The news that the price of butter is likely to be maintained next year will be welcome to our dairymen. Messrs. Weddell and Co. do not give the reasons on which their opinion is based; but presumably as those engaged in the trade they have grounds for it. Probably it is explained by the quotation from their circular of July 14 as follows:—

> The "Times" of yesterday, in its annual review of the crops in Great Britain for July, shows how seriously affected are the pastures and hay crops of all kinds. Taking the number 100 to represent a perfectly healthy condition, the grass and hay of all kinds in England work out at 59, in Wales at 68, and in Scotland at 95. Last year England was 90·7, Wales 95·4, Scotland 100·9. For Great Britain, as a whole, this year the average is 65, against 92·4 a year ago. The figures for the last six years are 75·6, 9·4, 107·5, 89·9, 92·4, and this year 65. These figures reveal the serious effect that the drought has wrought upon the hay and pastures this year. Should July continue to be hot, a very great shortage of home-made butter and cheese must ensue.

From the Melbourne "Argus" we gather the Victorian and other Australasian State banking averages for the quarter ended June 30. They show deposits £105,793,779 as compared with £106,603,179 in the previous quarter; note circulation £4,815,899, as compared with £4,806,913; coin and bullion £22,786,680, against £22,728,858; and advances £108,564,374, against £108,131,010. The movements were comparatively light.

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat ruled firm at 2s 10d to 2s 10½d for prime grain, ex trucks Darling Harbour. Deliveries continue small, and it is now realised that the shipping season will rapidly draw to a close. Flour sold at £6 to £6 10s per ton for local brands in bakers' parcels.

The exports of wheat from the port of Sydney during the week ended August 14 totalled 11,697 bags, of which 9878 bags were shipped to the United Kingdom and 1819 bags to Queensland. The exports of flour during the same period aggregated 7760 bags, shipped as follows:—To Hongkong, 457 bags; to the United Kingdom, 4445 bags; to Norfolk Islands, 67 bags; to the New Hebrides, 33 bags; to the South Sea Islands, 3 bags; to Queensland, 2655 bags; and to Batavia, 100 bags.

Up to date shipments have been as follow:—

	Wheat. Bags.	Flour. *Sacks.
London	277,578	150,277
Hull	111,760	11,351
Liverpool	23,450	980
Newcastle (Eng.)	7,101	—
Falmouth	63,982	—
Port Said (per orders)	46,638	—
Queensland	30,628	19,718
Noumea	17,909	11,893
Germany	187,964	1,780
Thursday Island	32	1,544
Islands	52	[illegible]
South Africa	18,978	21,811
Manila	—	1,005
Japan	90,215	1,881
Java	—	484
Mauritius	—	250
Hongkong	2	2,356
Scotland	—	1,420
Shanghai	2	1,333
Singapore	—	2,148
Western Australia	4,112	485
Bombay	40,500	50
Italy	3,800	—
Malta	1,171	500
Colombo	—	3,277
Channel (for orders)	59,263	—
Valparaiso	32,514	—
New Guinea	1	40
Other places	20	1,036
	948,172	244,009

* Flour in half-sacks, quarter-sacks, and packages has been converted into its equivalent in sacks for comparative purposes.

The "Argus" gives the shipments of Victorian and Riverina produce via Melbourne to date as follows:—

	Wheat. Bags.	Flour. Bags.
Victorian produce	1,649,894	257,863
New South Wales produce	250,244	13,135
Total	1,900,138	270,998

Of New South Wales produce shipped from Sydney and Melbourne the exports represent 5,879,788 bushels of wheat, while those of Victorian produce represent 8,249,792 bushels.

There are also 133,594 bags, equivalent to 567,774 bushels, of wheat in bond and in transit through Victoria. If they are added to the exports by sea from Sydney and Melbourne they give an approximate total export of 6,447,562 bushels from New South Wales up to date.

On the subject of the New Zealand market Messrs. A. S. Paterson and Co., writing from Dunedin, under date August 1, state:—"The rate of freight to London by steamers has been reduced to 20s per ton, and there has been a rather better demand for wheat for home shipment. The regular lines of steamers are short of cargo for July-August. Millers are buying more freely, and prices have advanced. Considerable business has been put through on following prices:—Tuscan, 2s 7d to 2s 8d; Velvet and Hunter, 2s 6d to 2s 7d; sacks extra. Holders are not keen sellers, and market fluctuates in sympathy with London."

IMPORT MARKET.

Business continued on somewhat restricted lines in all departments. The announcement that American kerosene will be higher on Monday next caused a good deal of purchasing to-day. The movement is significant, in so far as it would seem to point to the belief that the new tariff will soon be brought down. Otherwise there were no changes in prices of consequence.

Tea.—250 chests of Ceylon teas changed hands privately at 8½d to 11d per lb.

The following comparison of the stocks of tea in bond in Sydney may be made:—

	Aug. 2, 1901.	Aug. 9, 1901.	Aug. 16, 1901.
Chests	2,415	2,498	2,500
Half-chests	4,338	4336	4,332
Boxes	4	3	—

Messrs. Alfred Harvey and Co., in their monthly tea report, state:—

> Shipments from all ports to date are 6,650,378lb., as against 7,820,000lb. at same time last year. Stocks in bond in Melbourne on the 10th instant were 2,738,765lb., as against 1,789,100lb. at same time last year. Stocks in bond in Sydney on the 9th instant were 226,140lb., as against 1,768,860lb. at same time last year. The arrival of the new China teas has given a little animation to the market, but on the whole business during the month has been without much life, the quality of arrivals from both Calcutta and Colombo leaving very much to be desired.

Messrs. H. W. Carey and Co. offered at the Royal Exchange saleroom this afternoon, under instructions from Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co. and Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, 815 packages Ceylon and 265 packages Indian tea, ex late arrivals, and report having quitted three-fourths of the catalogue to fairly good competition at prices on the whole showing a firm market. Quotations were:—Good common to fair Ceylon pekoes, 5d to 6½d; medium to good medium broken pekoes, 7½d to 9½d; Indian pekoe souchongs, 5½d to 6d; and pekoes, 7½d to 7¾d per lb. Improved offers were made after the sale for several of the withdrawn lots.

Messrs. Cyril Trower and Co will offer on Tuesday next 415 packages of Ceylon teas, ex recent arrivals, on account of Messrs. Gerber, Michaut, and Co.

Messrs. Fraser, Uther, and Co. will submit a catalogue of 404 packages of Indians, ex Ikhona, on Thursday next, on account of Messrs. Fraser, Ramsay and Co.

Messrs. Alfred Harvey and Co. will offer on Thursday next, at 63 Pitt-street, 476 packages of Indian teas, ex Ikhona, on account of Dalgety and Co., Limited.

Sugar.—The market was unchanged at late market rates.

The C.S.R. Company's quotations are as follows:—Tablets, £24 10s; icing or powdered sugar, £24 10s; castor sugar £20 10s; brewers' crystals, £20; IX or confectioners' crystals, £19 10s; 1A, £19 10s; No. 1 (1W or Snowdrop), £19 5s; No. 2 (1C or No. 1 pieces), £19; No. 3, £16 10s per ton.

The following are the bond returns of sugar:—

	Imported. Tons.	Duty Paid. Tons.	Exported. Tons.	In Bond. Tons.
June 28	1,505	1,503	201	7,470
July 5	5	884	147	6,493
July 12	814	785	256	5,606
July 19	1,415	628	370	6,033
July 26	3,000	793	400	7,920
August 2	1,425	1,077	198	8,064
August 9	5	820	378	6,870
August 16	4,664	1,384	261	8,777

Groceries.—Steady sales of proprietary lines were made chiefly in distributing parcels. Two tons of Remy's starch moved off at market rates. Twenty cases of S. and W. asparagus, 50 cases of Fitzroy meats, and 350 cases of Champion's vinegar changed hands at agents' prices. 200 cases of Holbrook's sauce and 100 cases of the same brand of malt vinegar were sold at agents' prices. American advices state that a new trust has been formed to control the entire salmon fishing industries of the Columbia River and the Pacific Coast. The capital of the "combine" is £5,000,000. It is stated that one or more of the steamship lines will be taken over for export purposes.

Dried Fruits.—100 cases of currants changed hands at 6⅛d to 6¾d; 150 boxes of dates were placed at 1½d.

Eastern Produce.—Two tons of nutmegs moved off at prices varying from 8d to 1s, according to grade. Three tons of cocoa beans sold at special prices.

Liquors.—Key gin sold at 11s 6d and 11s 9d for 15 and 16 bottle. Lowndes's rum moved off to arrive at 3s 6d to 3s 7½d according to position and parcel. 150 cases of Martell's brandy were placed at agents' prices, and 250 cases of Johnston's stout moved off to a brisk demand. Good sales of Dawson's whisky were reported, the whole of the shipment ex Eva Montgomery and the next vessel to follow having been sold.

Metals.—300 boxes of I.C. coke tinplates were taken up at 18s 3d to 18s 6d. 250 boxes of wire nails went at 20 per cent. off list. Ten tons of Nos. 8 and 10 fencing wire sold at £8 12s 6d and £9 12s 6d respectively. Barbed wire was variously quoted at £15 to £15 10s per ton. Cheap continental blasting powder is being imported to compete against the "combine" make. 1000 casks of Anchor cement were placed at market rates.

Our cable to-night shows an unchanged market for Glasgow warrants. Scotch advices by last mail state that:—"Shipments all round are falling away, and in many directions they are only two-thirds of those of last year. Public stocks in Scotland are lower than for many long years, and yet there is no fear of any scarcity so long as Cleveland remains so low. In Scotland 80 furnaces are in blast, against 85 last year. It is of interest to note that Cleveland shipments for the half-year just ended were only 542,996 tons—the lowest total since 1895—against 614,277 last year and 677,714 in the previous year."

Jute Goods.—Woolpacks continued in demand, 100 bales selling at 2s for 11½lb. and 2s 0½d for 12lb. 100 bales of cornsacks sold at 5s 4d for forward delivery. Branbags were dull of sale at 4s or a shade less.

Oils.—On Monday next the price of American oil will be raised ½d per gallon to 8½d for Snowflake and 8¾d for Whiterose. Rising Sun remains at 6½d for bulk and 7½d for tins. Seventy-five cases of castor went at 2s 9½d and 2s 10½d for cases and half-cases.

Chemicals.—Seven tons of bicarbonate of soda sold at £8 to £8 10s, 5 tons of caustic soda at £12 10s, and trade parcels of liquid glucose at £16 10s per ton.

The customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £3930. The principal items were:—

Spirits, £2015; wine, £75; tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £572; tea, £74; sugar and molasses, £130; dried and candied fruits, £41; jams and jellies, £33; harbour and light rates, £12; pilotage, £30; removals, £11; colonial distilled spirits, £24; excise on beer, £695. Total, £3930.

EXPORT MARKET.

Wool receipts.—At Darling Harbour to-day, 259 bales of wool were manifested to arrive by rail, 48 were received coastwise, and 72 came forward by rail at Newcastle yesterday.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Aug. 16.

The Bank of England reserves in notes and coin is £25,360,000, as against £23,672,000 last week, and £18,382,000 last year. The proportion of reserve to liabilities is 50·93, as against 49·18 last week, and 36·49 last year. The circulation is £30,136,000, as against £30,583,000 last week and £30,252,000 last year.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued	£53,419,000	Government securities	£11,015,100
		Other securities	6,759,900
		Gold and silver coin	35,644,000
	£53,419,000		£53,419,000

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government securities	£16,500,000
Public deposits	10,432,000	Other securities	26,012,000
Other deposits	39,187,000	Notes	23,298,000
Rest, 7-day, and other bills	3,710,000	Gold and silver coin	2,067,000
	£67,882,000		£67,882,000

CONSOLS AND AUSTRALIAN STOCKS.

Current quotations for Consols and Australian Government stocks, compared with those of last week and the corresponding week of last year, are as follows:—

	Aug. 17, 1900.	Aug. 9, 1901.	Aug. 16, 1901.	Rise or Fall.
2¾-2½ per cent. Consols	98¼	93⅜	94½	1⅛ rise
N.S.W. 4's, 1933, Jan.-July	115	113	113	unch
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918, March-Sept.	102	102	102*	unch
N.S.W. 3's, 1935, April-Oct.	93½	93½	93½	unch
Vict. 4's, 1920, Jan.-July	109	111	111	unch
Vic. 3½'s, 1921-26, Jan.-July	101½	106	106	unch
S. Aust. 3's, 1916, Jan.-July	93	93	93	unch
S. Aust. 3½'s, 1939, June-Dec.	106	105	105	unch
Q'land 4's, 1915-24, Jan.-July	109	106½	107½	1 rise
Q'land 3½'s, 1924-30, Jan.-July	101½	102	102	unch
N. Zealand 4's, 1929, May-Nov.	110½	114⅛	114⅛	unch
N. Zealand 3½'s, 1940, Jan.-July	104	108	108	unch
N. Zealand 3's, 1945, April-Oct.	97½	99	99	unch
Tasmania 3½'s, 1920-40, Jan.-July	101½	104	104	unch
W.A. 3½'s, May-Nov. 1915-35	103	102	102	unch

MONEY MARKET.

The Bank of England rate of discount is 3 per cent. The market rate of discount for three months' bills is 2¾ per cent, being ⅛ lower.

METAL MARKET.

The copper market is steady. Spot quotations are ⅛ lower at 65¼, and three months ⅜ lower at 66 per ton.

Tin quiet. Spot is quoted 4¼ lower on the week at 115¼, and three months 7½ lower on the week at 111.

Pig Iron.—Glasgow warrants are quoted unchanged at 53s 10½d per ton.

Spelter is unchanged at 16⅞.

Lead is quoted 3-16 lower at 11 11-16 per ton.

SUGAR.

The sugar market is weaker. German beet, 88 per cent., is quoted 4½d lower at 8s 7½d per cwt., and first granulated Hamburg 1½d lower at 10s 9d per cwt.

BRADFORD TOPS.

Business in the Bradford market is very firm, common 60's being unchanged at 18½d, and super 60's unchanged at 19d.

WHEAT.

The wheat markets are firm but steady. The American markets are hardening owing to decreased official estimates of the spring wheat crops. Cargoes are strong, Victorian and New South Wales for August-September at 29s 9d. The Inverclyde has been sold at 28s 3d per 480lb.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Supplies of heavy lines of produce were well forward in the markets to-day, chaff, lucerne 2s 8d to 3s 4d; oaten, prime 5s 4d, mixed 2s 7d to 3s; hay, lucerne 1s 11d to 2s 11d; maize, prime 2s 9d, 2s 9½d; potatoes, 4s 6d to 7s 9d; butter, 1s.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

On the Stock Exchange to-day Victorian 4 per cents. 1913-1923 sold at £106; Metropolitan Board of Works 4 per cents. 1913, £104 10s, and 3½ per cents. £100; Colonial Bank Preferential, sold £9 12s; Commercial Ordinary, 14s 9d; National Ordinary, 69s; Commercial Bank Deposit Receipts, 19s; English, Scottish Australian Bank Preferential Inscribed Stock, 13s 3d; Melbourne Trams, 21s 10d, 22s, 21s 10d; Silverton Tram, 57s, 58s; County of Bourke Building Society, 19s; Melbourne Hydraulic, 20s; Langridge Building Society, 52s.

PRODUCE MARKETS.—Friday.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

The markets were again fairly buoyant in tone, with a considerable turnover passing in most departments. In forage lines trade was less active, the increased supplies forward by rail having for the present caused buyers to consider the position before laying in stocks at the present exceptionally high rates. Apart from a decline in oaten hay, chaff, eggs, New Zealand potatoes, and a rise in maize, lucerne, and chickwheat little or no appreciable change in value transpired. Welcome rains have at last fallen in many parts of the Southern and Central districts to-day, consequently the anxiety of farmers at the prospect of a drought will be considerably allayed. This news no doubt will have an effect upon the markets generally. A further advance of 1d per bushel occurred in maize in sympathy with the improvement in other lines, coupled with the rather small stocks on hand. The inquiry was fairly good, choice grain going off at 2s 8d. Oats were scarce, no real choice samples being available. Chickwheat, as was expected, advanced in value owing to the rise in wheat, combined with scarcity. Sales were fair up to 2s 9d for real choice whole grain. Other seed lines moved steadily at quotations. Both bran and pollard continued scarce and dear. Sales of the former were made under the hammer at 10½d, while privately 10¾d was wanted. Owing to the increased supplies forward by rail chaff declined in value to the extent of 5s to 7s 6d per ton. The demand continued good, the bulk of the consignments being cleared at the lower rates. No real choice imported was on the market. Oaten hay from the same cause was also cheaper, sales being steady at a reduction of about 10s per ton. Lucerne commanded ready sale at further improved rates. The arrivals by rail totalled 3 trucks, 103 bales coming forward coastwise. Straw had quiet sale at late rates. Stocks of New Zealand potatoes were replenished by the arrival of over 3000 bags by the Wathora. In consequence of this shipment prices declined to the extent of 5s per ton all round. Choice samples had fair sale at £6 5s. Tasmanian Circulars remained without alteration, the inquiry being good for prime sorts. Onions were more plentiful and quiet, prices if anything being weaker. In dairy produce a substantial turnover was noted in most lines. Butter, which was again scarce, moved freely. Eggs were cheaper, prices quoted being irregular, as is always the case in a falling market. Sellers anticipate that it will not be long before prices will have reached such a level that biscuit manufacturers and pastrycooks will come into the market and relieve it of any surplus that may accumulate from day to day. Bacon, cheese, poultry, lard, and honey were all in demand at firm values.

Wholesale quotations were:—

FEED-GRAIN MARKET.

Oats.—New Zealand milling to 2s 7d, best feed to 2s 6d, medium to 2s 4d; local, 2s 1d to 2s 2d per bushel.

Maize.—Market firm. Prime 2s 8d; other qualities to 2s 7½d per bushel.

Peas.—Blue, 5s 6d; grey, 2s 9½d to 3s 10d per bushel.

Barley.—Cape, choice to 2s 5d, inferior to 2s 2d; New Zealand, prime, 2s 4d; English feed 2s to 2s 1d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Dearer. 2s 7d to 2s 9d per bushel.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Bacon and Hams.—Better sale. Hand-cured, 6½d; flitches to 6¾d; middles, 7½d to 8d; farmers' hand-cured, choice, 6d; New Zealand sides to 6½d; flitches to 6½d; Pineapple, 7½d; York Castle mild-cured brand, sides, 7d; Bodalla, sides 7d, flitches 7d, middles 8d; Eclipse, sides, 7d. Hams: Local hams, choice, in cloth, 8d to 9½d; New Zealand, 8½d; Pineapple, 9½d; York Castle, 9½d; Eclipse, small size, 9d; American, 8d per lb.

Cheese.—Market firm. Prime loaf, 5½d; medium quality to 5d; large choice, 5d to 5½d; odd lots, 5½d; medium quality, 4½d; New Zealand, medium size 5½d, large size 5d; Bodalla, 6d; Kameruka, 6½d per lb.

Poultry.—Good sale. Light supplies. Fowls, river, hens, 2s 10d to 3s, good 3s 3d to 3s 6d; choice roosters 3s 6d to 4s; young roosters, locally reared, choice, 4s to 5s, medium 3s 3d to 3s 9d, hens 3s to 3s 9d; English river ducks 3s 6d, locally reared, young 4s 6d to 5s, old 3s 9d to 4s 3d; Muscovy ducks, river, 3s 6d to 4s; locally reared ducks, young 5s 6d to 6s 3d; drakes, 6s 6d to 8s; geese, 4s to 6s; turkeys, gobblers 6s 3d to 8s 6d, good 9s to 10s, prime 11s to 13s, special birds to 15s; hens 5s to 7s per pair.

Eggs.—Good sales. Stocks heavy. Prices lower, and irregular. Case eggs, North 7½d to 8d, South 8d to 8½d; suburban new-laid hen eggs 9½d to 10d, and duck eggs 10½d per dozen.

Butter.—Scarce. Choice local creamery quoted 12½d, second quality factory to 11½d per lb.

Game.—Rabbits, small 3s to 4s, good 4s 6d; choice, 7s per dozen pairs. Hares, 1s 3d to 1s 6d per pair.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Lard.—Bladders 7d to 7½d, bulk 6½d to 7d per lb.

Onions.—Victorian, Portarlington, prime, £14 10s; special lots, £15; others, £13 to £14; New Zealand, £12; Japanese, £14 10s to £15 per ton.

Honey.—Candied 1½d to 2d, clear 2d to 2½d, choice 2¾d per lb., for tins containing 60lb.

Millet.—Choicest £14 to £15, good to £13 per ton.

Turnips.—Local, £2 12s 6d to £3 7s 6d per ton.

FORAGE MARKET.

Lucerne.—Choice, to £3; good qualities, to £2 12s 6d; railway, large bales, prime, £2 15s to £3; medium, £2 12s 6d; prime, in small bales, £3 5s to £3 10s; special, £3 15s; medium, to £3 per ton.

Hay.—Local oaten in bundles, prime to £6; medium to £5 5s; rough £3 to £4 per ton.

Straw.—Local, bundled, £1 17s 6d to £2; derrick-pressed, £1 17s 6d to £2 5s; imported, £2 5s to £2 7s 6d per ton.

Chaff.—Good sale. Local: Choice green to £4 10s; prime, to £4 5s; medium, to £3 15s; inferior to £3 5s. Imported: Adelaide, prime, £4 10s per ton.

WOOD MARKET.

Fair supply. Good demand. Best foot wood 11s to 13s; second quality 7s 6d to 8s, inferior 5s to 4s 6d; bakers', split 9s 6d to 11s, good 7s 6d to 8s, rough 4s to 7s; bundles 10s to 11s, good 7s 6d to 9s, rough 4s to 7s per ton.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—Local, £6 5s to £6 10s; Tasmanian, choice £7, others from £6 5s to £6 15s; New Zealand Derwents, prime, £6 5s; Early Rose (seed), up to £5 12s 6d; New Zealand Kidneys, £6 10s per ton.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Bran was quoted 10½d to 10¾d, pollard being nominal at 10d per bushel.

REDFERN SALE.

At the Redfern railway terminus markets this morning a heavy supply of produce was offered for sale. There was a good attendance of buyers who operated with a considerable amount of freedom in most lines. Owing to the increased supplies of chaff and oaten hay forward auctioneers were compelled to accept lower rates for both these articles in order to effect sales. On account of continued scarcity lucerne and bran had improved sale at advanced rates.

The market for chaff closed with a quiet tone, prices being easier to the extent of 5s to 7s 6d per ton, the fall being most pronounced in medium and off descriptions. Extra green made 4s 4d to 4s 5d, prime 3s 11d to 4s 3d, good medium 3s 6d to 3s 10d, and indifferent to 3s 3d per cwt. The exceptionally high prices ruling of late for oaten hay induced farmers to forward consignments in order to catch the high market. Altogether 10 truckloads arrived to-day, and as was anticipated buyers were not prepared to operate unless at a reduction of about 10s per ton, which sellers had to be content to accept. Ordinary prime rack made 5s 6d to 5s 7d, good medium to 5s 3d, and rough from 3s to 4s per cwt. Continued scarcity caused a further rise in lucerne hay, the inquiry being active at the higher rates. Extra choice green in small bales fetched 3s 9d, and prime 3s 3d. Ordinary prime quality in large bales was taken at 2s 11d per cwt. Brownell potatoes moved off steadily at 6s 6d per cwt. Bran was dearer and in brisk request at 10¾d per bushel. Turnips had good steady sale at from 2s 7½ to 3s 5d per cwt.

Appended are the proportions of the various descriptions of produce actually submitted at to-day's sale:—Chaff, 60 trucks; oaten hay, 10; lucerne, 3; straw, 4; potatoes, 2; bran, 1; and turnips, 3.

Among the consignees were:—Farmers' Co-operative Company, Messrs. R. Little and Co., H. M. Suttor and Co., Sheppard, Harvey, and Walker, R. Hall and Son, J. W. Gray and Co., Dent and Perry, Walker and Oxby, Ellis and Co., J. Bridge and Co., Stewart, Porteous, and Co., G. Wells and Matthews, H. Prescott and Co., S. B. Bond, Dalgety and Co., and Farmers and Settlers' Association.

Supplies were disposed of as follow:—

Chaff.—From J. Halliday, Uranquinty, (truck No. 4001) 4s; Davison, Raglan, (5002) passed; Lewis, Bathurst, (11141) 3s 9d; G. Twogood, Forbes, (6690) 4s, (1292) 3s 11d; J. and W. Thomas, (5651) passed; G. Sheppard, Gunnedah, (3263) 3s 9d; Bartlett, (3226) 3s 2d, (4683) 3s 1d; Gray, (9794) 3s 1d; J. Futter, Harden, (7494) passed; (4867) 3s 7d, (4096) 3s 6d; J. and J. O'Leary, Millthorpe, (1885) passed; W. Hunter, Solferino Siding, (9658) 4s 2d; G. W. Moore, Orange, (11042), and (224) passed; Nicholls, Gundagai, (2179) 3s 7d; W. E. Morgan and Co., Temora, (x51) 3s 9d, (4657) 3s 9d; Keast and Co., Green Swamp-road, (6150) 4s 4d, (2559) 4s 5d, (4505), and (75) passed; Farmers Co-operative Company, Goulburn, (2488) 4s 3d, (11127) 3s 5d; C. Cross, Grenfell, (3349) 3s 10d, (6594) 3s 9d; W. Hunter, Montagle, (1829) 4s 3d; F. R. Finn, (10067) 3s 6d; Maroney, (5862) 4s, (1810) 3s 5d, (5787) passed, (6128) 4s; Prescott, Wagga, (4735) 4s; Nelson and Nelson, Old Junee, (3002) 3s 6d, (9181) 3s 6d, (3570) 3s 6d; Ashwood, Coolamon, (1718) passed; Peterson and Sergood, Wunnamurra, (4859) 4s 5d, (4460) 4s 4d, (330) passed; Booth Bros, Bomen, (1531) 4s 3d; Wilkins, Stockinbingal, (7789) 3s 9d; J. H. Amos, (2700) 3s 9d; Shumack, Coolamon, (4261) 4s 3d; Gellings and Sons, Temora, (5193), 3s 6d, (3802) 3s 7d; J. W. Gray and Co., (792) 4s; Prescott (518) 3s 3d; J. Marsden, Wallendbeen, (9750) passed; S. Prescott, Muttama, (6444), and (2520) passed; Ashwood, Marrar, (4004), and (2618) passed; Mutton Bros., Coolamon, (6576) 3s 9d; Cowan, Temora, (5034) 3s 5d; N. M'Callum, Marrar, (4499) 3s 6d; O'Donnell and Hammond, Old Junee, (3017) 4s per cwt.

Lucerne.—From J. Jacobs, Nemingha Siding, (8796) 2s 11d; Lonergan, Mudgee, (6595) 3s 2d; A. M. and V. D. Cox, (2639) 3s 9d per cwt.

Oaten Hay.—From A. S. Curtis, Guyra, (6854) 4s; M. Toomey, Newbridge, (6660) 5s; J. Bullock, Blayney, (7199) 5s 7d, (2547) 5s 6d; Fagan, Mandurama, (6018) passed; Humphries, Wallerawang, (5465) 5s; Hall, Bathurst, (2566) passed, lucerne hay 3s 3d; Kelly, Liverpool, (2348) 4s; Clayton, Orange, (10930) 5s 3d; Chapman, Windsor, (5586) 3s per cwt.

Straw.—Derrick-pressed: From Drew, Mudgee, (4686) passed; R. Christian, Raglan, (7877) passed; G. Godfrey, (3036) 1s 11d per cwt. Bundle: From M. Ryan, Perth, (7369) 1s 10d per cwt.

Bran.—From J. Bridge and Co., Quirindi, (5608) 10¾d per bushel.

Potatoes.—From Dalton Bros., Orange, (2713) 6s 6d per cwt.; Dalton Bros., Huntley, (x382) passed.

Turnips.—From Buttsworth, Windsor, (895) 2s 11d; Neil, 2s 7d; Narrara, (—) 3s 5d; Quinn, Richmond, (—) 3s 5d per cwt.

FRUIT MARKETS.

Fairly good supplies of most descriptions of summer fruits were under offer at the Bathurst-street markets this morning. Owing to the warm weather during the last couple of days, and especially to-day, an improved sale was noted for all fruits. Apples had good sale, as did pears, at about late values. Citrus fruits were in good request, especially oranges and mandarins. Moderate sized parcels of both were bought for export. Passionfruit had ready sale at firmer rates, on account of the light supplies offering. Bananas and pines moved off well at firm rates.

The current quotations were:—

Pears.—Tasmanian: Cooking, 3s to 3s 6d per half-case; Victorian: Chaise, 8s to 10s; inferior pears from 5s 6d per case.

Cocoanuts.—7s to 7s 6d per bag

Lemons.—Rough, 1s 6d to 2s 6d; good, 3s to 3s 6d, choice 4s to 4s 6d per gin-case.

Bananas.—1s to 4s per bunch, 7s to 9s per case.

Passionfruit.—4s to 6s, good to 8s, choice 9s to 10s per gin-case; choice, to 5s 6d; medium to 4s 6d per half-case.

Apples.—Tasmanian: French Crabs, 6s to 7s, choice to 8s; Scarlet Permains, 5s 6d to 6s 6d, good 7s to 8s; prime, 9s; New York Pippins 7s, choice 9s, Stone Pippins, 5s to 6s; Hollow Crowns, 4s to 4s 6d; Sturmers, 5s to 6s. Victorian: 5s to 7s per case. Local sorts: Dessert, 4s to 7s. Five Crowns, choice 11s to 12s, medium 8s to 10s, small to 5s per gin-case; good cooking, 6s to 7s per gin-case.

Mandarins.—Emperors, 3s to 4s, prime 5s to 6s; Thornies, 3s to 8s per gin-case, choice 4s 6d per half-case respectively.

Oranges.—Main crop, rough pulled 3s to 4s, medium to 5s, good 6s to 6s 6d, choice 7s 6d to 8s; Navel, rough 6s to 9s, good 10s to 11s, prime to 14s, extra choice large to 16s. Sevilles, 3s 6d to 4s per gin-case.

Pineapples.—Common, choice 7s; Queens, 6s to 7s per case.

Strawberries.—Queensland 3s to 4s, choice 5s per three-quart box.

Robert Little and Co.—Hay, Chaff, Produce Auctions, Redfern, daily. Highest prices, immediate returns.—Advt.

WALKER and OXBY, 69 Sussex-street.—Grain, chaff sales Redfern daily, highest prices, prompt returns.—Advt.

GEO. WELLS and MATTHEWS, Live Stock, Grain, Produce Salesmen. Sales Redf. daily. Prompt ret.—Advt.

The Farmers and Settlers' Co-op. Assn., 79 Q. Victoria Mkts. The farmer's own agency.—Advt.

Stewart, Porteous, and Co., 123 Sussex-st., Auctioneers and Produce Salesmen. Auct. Sales daily at Redfern.—Advt.

DALGETY and COMPANY, Ltd., hold Auction Sales daily at Redfern Railway Station. All farm produce. Full prices, with quick returns.—Advt.

S. B. BOND, 88 Sussex-street, Auctioneer and General Produce Salesman. Auction Sales daily at Redfern.—Advt.

R. HALL and SON, Auctioneers and General Produce Merchants. Sales at Redfern daily. Highest prices.—Advt.

SHEPPARD, HARVEY, and WALKER, 133 Sussex-street. Sales Hay, Straw, Chaff, Redfern, daily.—Advt.

"York Castle brand of mild-cured Bacon. Cured by English experts. Flavour delicious." Denham Bros.—Advt.

"KAMERUKA" CHEDDAR CHEESE,
made by experts, acknowledged to be superior to all other brands.
DENHAM BROS., Sole Agents.—Advt.

J. W. GRAY and CO., 139 Sussex-street.
AUCTIONEERS and PRODUCE SALESMEN.—Advt.

REDFERN PRODUCE RETURN.

The following is a complete return of all lines of produce received by rail at the Redfern railway markets for the week ended Friday, August 16, together with the figures for the corresponding period of the two previous years:—

	1901.	1900.	1899.
Hay, trucks	56	64	22
Straw, ditto	31	8	7
Chaff, ditto	272	221	4
Pollard, tons	0	19	14¾
Bran, ditto	6½	45	19¼
Wheat, ditto	47	25½	6
Potatoes, ditto	75	135½	32¾
Turnips, ditto	19	30½	40½
Pumpkins, ditto	6½	4	0
Oats, ditto	13	44½	0
Flour, ditto	0	28	0

The following is an approximate return of general produce received coastwise and imported to date ended Friday, August 16:—

	N.S.W.	Queensland.	Victoria.	N. Zealand.	Tasmania.	Total.
Chaff, bags	...	...	135	...	...	135
Maize, bags	7,316	...	...	500	...	7,816
Oats, bags	...	...	...	100	...	100
Barley, bags	...	...	...	106	...	106
Peas, bags	17	...	...	25	25	67
Hay, bales	360	...	308	...	40	708
Onions, bags	...	...	597	...	...	597
Potatoes, bags	171	...	...	3,250	8,887	12,308
Bacon, pkgs	260	...	...	21	...	281
Butter, pkgs	2,792	...	...	...	...	2,792
Eggs, cases	1,287	13	...	...	...	1,300
Cheese, numb'r	1,700	...	...	...	...	1,700
Cheese, cases	...	...	...	260	...	260
Poultry, coops	97	...	...	...	...	97
Honey, cases	116	...	...	...	...	116
Straw, bales	...	...	624	...	409	1,633
Fruit, cases	...	246	252	...	9,605	10,103
Sugar, bags	1,068	15,856	...	...	...	16,924
Sugar, tons	...	2,800	...	...	...	2,800
Turnips, bags	14	...	...	...	6	20
Lard, pkgs	49	...	...	...	...	49
Tallow, casks	17	32	...	10	...	59
Hides, number	488	3,250	...	...	...	3,738
Pigs, number	827	...	...	...	...	827

From Japan: 116 packages onions. From South Australia: 196 bales hay, 319 bags potatoes, 220 bags sugar, 40 bags peas.

CITY YARDS.

Pigs.—To-day's supply was, generally speaking, rather in excess of requirements, 688 head being penned, including a full proportion of light descriptions. Buyers in the bacon section again displayed a keen desire to purchase, hence competition ruled particularly even, values remaining firm at late high rates; on the other hand backfatters and porkers were not so eagerly sought after. Prices, as a consequence, were inclined to be irregular, and may be quoted a shade easier. Stores sold well. Quotations: Big heavy backfatters, 60s to 65s, extra choice to 75s; best pens of baconers to 50s, good 41s to 45s 6d, medium from 35s, light from 30s; best pens of porkers to 26s, good 22s 6d to 25s, light from 17s 6d; best stores to 20s, good 14s to 18s 6d, inferior from 10s each.

STOCK AND STATION PRODUCE.

The Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, John Bridge and Co., Limited, Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Hill, Clark, and Co., Pastoral Finance Association, Limited, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Limited, report:—

Tallow.—A very strong market was in evidence at yesterday's auctions and prices advanced 10s to 15s per ton. Best mixed sold to £28 15s per ton; best beef to £28 17s 6d; medium mutton at £28 15s; inferior mixed to £21 10s; broken packages from £18. 307 casks were offered and 255 sold.

Hides.—Under the influence of a short supply, a very firm market ruled, and lines in good condition showing a slight advance. Quotations:—Queensland Meatworks hides: Ticky, heavy, 60lb. to 65lb., 6½d to 6¾d per lb.; medium, 50lb. to 52lb., 5¾d to 5½d; light, 40lb. to 44lb., 5d to 5½d. Queensland butchers' hides: Heavy, 60lb. and upwards, 5½d to 6d; heavy, 60lb. and upwards (ticky), 5d to 5½d; medium, 45lb. to 56lb., 4½d to 5¼d; medium, 45lb to 56lb (ticky), 4½d to 5d; light, 35lb to 45lb, 4½d to 4¾d; light, 35lb to 46lb (ticky), 4½d to 4¾d. New South Wales butchers' hides—Extra heavy, 70lb and upwards, 4½d to 5d; heavy, 60lb to 69lb, 4½d to 4¾d; medium, 45lb to 56lb, 4½d to 4¾d; light, 38lb to 46lb, 4½d to 4¾d; inferior and faulty, 2d to 3¼d; dry station, 4½d to 5½d; yearlings, 3s to 9s 3d each; calfskins, 9d to 2s 6d; horse hides, 2s 6d to 9s.

The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company and the Wool Co-operative Company also report holding sales.

PROPERTY SALES.

The week's business in real estate showed a strong market, but the amount of property sold was not considerable, owing to the fact chiefly that its offerings were not very attractive. Owners, however, look for higher prices from time to time, and this operates to some extent against the transaction of sales—in certain localities, at any rate. In the least-favoured suburbs, of course, business is more easily done. But the one outstanding fact is that there is a better tone as we get further away from the time of depression in the last decade, and the metropolis shares more fully in the results of the industrial developments which are the cause of the general recovery. The annexed details of sales have been supplied:—

Richardson and Wrench, Limited, report having sold by auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—Residence and land fronting Ethel-street, Burwood, for the sum of £1085; cottage villa fronting Pitt-street, Redfern, for the sum of £1120; block of land fronting Holmwood-street, Newtown (part of Holmwood Estate), for £171; block of land fronting Kensington-street, Kogarah, for £78; small property, Wolli-street, Hurstville, for £50; allotment of land, Ryan-road, Willoughby, forming part of Ryan's Estate subdivision, for £45; allotment of land forming part of Waitara estate subdivision, Waitara, for £36; also having leased, for a term of 21 years, a block of land at Ultimo at £228 per annum.

Messrs. Hardie and Gorman report having sold during the week by public auction and private treaty the following properties:—Thornleigh: Block of land, portion of Dartford Park Estate, for £450. Rushcutter Bay: Residence, fronting Waratah-street (leasehold), for £785. Woolloomooloo: Two brick-built houses, fronting Palmer-street, for £700. Hornsby: Block of land, in area about half an acre, fronting Junction-road, £54. Marrickville: Several allotments of land, portions of Yule's Estate, No. 2, at 17s 6d per foot. Manly: A number of blocks in Redman's Estate, Brookvale, at £12 10s per acre. Also a parcel of shares in the Civil Service Co-operative Society, at £4 17s 6d per share.

Hugh Duff and Co. report having sold by public auction and private treaty:—Rookwood, John-street: Shop and cottage, £350. North Sydney: Terrace of six cottages, £3000. Chatswood: Tryon-street, cottage, £635; Devonshire-street, cottage, £280; Tryon-street, cottage, £575. Total sales, £4830.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TAMWORTH, Friday.

The usual fortnightly sale of fat stock was held yesterday. There was a large attendance of buyers. The number of cattle yarded was insufficient to meet trade requirements, and competition was consequently brisk and biddings spirited for all classes. Best bullocks brought £10 10s; cows, very light, but good quality, £6 14s; best fat wethers, 15s 6d; ewes, 9s 5d; lambs, 10s 10d.

SUBSIDY AND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you kindly allow me to reply to your leading article on this subject?

You say that an attempt is being made to induce pastoralists to abandon the payment of the subsidy to the Sydney Meat Preserving Company. This is partly correct, but the voting papers sent out to the pastoralists ask for an expression of opinion:—

1. As to abandonment of the subsidy altogether.
2. As to the division between all purchasers.
3. As to whether the subsidy shall continue to be paid to the S.M.P. only.

At the present moment 736 replies have been sent in, 470 in favour of abandonment, 80 in favour of division, and 186 in favour of continuing as at present.

I think I am correct in stating that in no other colony is it found necessary or advisable to attempt to maintain fictitious prices by spoon-feeding, and I am very sure that I am correct in asserting that the inferior position held by New South Wales as a meat-exporting colony is to a great extent caused by the fact that a subsidised company receiving equal to 40 per cent. per annum on their capital must necessarily kill enterprise and development of the trade.

The pastoralists pay the subsidy and receive it back again in the enhanced price of their stock. What remains to them? Nothing except the loss of the commission on the enhanced price.

Your article states that the S.M.P. intervenes in overstocked markets to maintain prices. Now with the factories in and around Sydney, and the local demand, there can be no overstocked markets, the canning capacity of the various works being equal to at least 45,000 canning sheep per week and, say, 25,000 local requirements. I maintain that the removal of the subsidy would not tend to cheapen meat either to the butchers or consumers, and the veiled threat that the S.M.P may run their concern on a strict business basis, to the detriment of others in the trade, is just what we are all wishing they would do.

All we ask for is that the meat trade shall be put on a fair business basis, and then let the best man win. If on business lines the S.M.P. can knock out their rivals, by all means let them do so, but the balance sheet just issued does not point to that result.

I am quite in accord with your suggestion that the question should be relegated to a few representative men in the trade, provided each side is fairly represented, and a good business man, conversant with the trade and not associated with any of the contending factions, be made umpire. I am, &c.,

August 16. W. A. BENN.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

ALLDIS and CO.—At Leura, Mill Hill-road, Waverley, at 11, Furniture, Dinner and Tea Services, Linoleum, Gas Stove, &c.

EVANS and CO.—At the Newtown Markets, Newtown, at 3, Furniture, Glassware, Clothing, &c.

S. W. MARGETTS.—At 37 Broadway, Glebe, at 2.30, Furniture, Piano, &c.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 41 Broadway, Glebe, at 2.30, Furniture, Oil Paintings, Toiletware, &c.

LEAN.—At the Rooms, Petersham Arcade, at 3, Dress Materials, &c.

A. G. JENKINS.—At his Rooms, at 10.30, Furniture, Gas Stove, Fittings, &c.; on the premises, Kent-street, near King-street, at 11, Plant, &c., of the Reliance Oil Company, Office Furniture, Weighing Machine, &c.

GUILLE and CO.—At 88 Station-street, Newtown, at 11.30, Furniture, &c.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, &c.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

H. PRESCOTT.—At the Bazaar, at 11.30, Horses, Vehicles, &c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, &c.

H. LEVY.—At the corner of Station and Holt streets, Newtown, at 3, Galvanised Iron, Gates, &c.

For Influenza and Colds in the Head, Woods' Great Peppermint Cure, 1s 6d.—Advt.

The Proclamation of Coronation at the Royal Exchange, London; Unveiling of Father Ryan's Monument at Tamworth; the late Sir John Mackenzie, K.C.M.G.; the Royal Exchange, Sydney, are among this week's "Mail" illustrations.—Advt.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

Business was again very quiet on the Mining market yesterday. Western Australian Companies were firmer in sympathy with London, but very few transactions were recorded. The Boulder Group, Ivanhoe Corporation, Lake View Consols, Kalgurli, and Associated Northern Blocks shared in the upward movement. Queensland Menzies sold at 9s and 9s 2d compared with previous business at 7s 9d, and Associated Northern Blocks sold at 56s 9d. In local silver companies prices showed very little change. Broken Hill Proprietary were a shade firmer at 34s. Sulphide Corporation sold at 8s 2d to 8s 6d, and Broken Hill Block 10 at 35s. Business in Queensland Companies included sales of Mount Morgan at 76s 9d; Brilliant Extended, paid, at 16s 9d; No. 2 South Great Eastern, 37s 3d; and Band of Hope, 17s 9d. No. 1 North Columbia were again somewhat firmer with business at 6s 8d and 6s 9d. The only business in copper stocks was a sale of Cobar Chesney at 5s 2d, and in dredging companies Araluen Central sold at 7s.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.		
Bellambi	15/	20/
Hetton	52	76/
Newcastle	...	19/0
Stockton	7/6	9
Vale of Clwydd	17/3	19/
Wallsend	20/0	20/10
Waratah	9/	10/
Wickham and Bullock Island	9/6	10/3
Ditto, new	4/	5/
Ditto, Preferential (£1 paid)	—	24/9
COPPER.		
Blayney Mining	5/9	—
Ditto, con.	4/	—
Chillagoe	11/	11/6
Cobar Chesney	5/	5/6
Dottswood Freehold	—	1/1
Girilambone	1/	2/
Mount Garnet Freehold	30/	33/
Mungana (Chillagoe)	7/1	7/6
Nth. Nymagee	—	9d
SILVER. New South Wales.		
Broken Hill Proprietary	33/6	34/
Block 10	31/6	36
Block 14	—	10/9
North Broken	7/6	8/6
North Central	—	1/4½
B. H. South	17/	18/
B.H. South Blocks	4/3	4/8
Sulphide Corporation	8/3	8/6
GOLD. New South Wales, &c.		
Grassy Gully	—	2/6
Mt. Drysdale	15/	16/3
Occidental	13/	14/
Peak Hill	2/	2/3
Ditto, con.	1/	1/2
Hulnga	—	1/7
Woodlark Island	6/	6/6
Ditto, con.	1/11	2/3
DREDGING AND SLUICING COMPANIES.		
Araluen Central	6/9	7/3
Araluen Proprietary	—	7/3
Araluen Valley Consolidated	—	8/6
Associated Gold-dredging	—	5/6
Ditto, con.	—	4/6
Cope's Creek	—	7/
Jembaicumbene	10/6	10/9
Jerricknorra	3/	—
Little River Dredging	—	1/7
Macquarie No. 1	—	9/
Macquarie No. 2	—	6/
Shoalhaven Terraces	1/6	1/9
Turon River	—	11/
VICTORIA.		
Star of the East	—	12/

	Buyer.	Seller.
QUEENSLAND.		
Band of Hope	17/6	18
Brilliant Extended	16/	17/6
Ditto, con.	15/	—
Brilliant St. George	30/	—
East Oriental and Glanmire	—	5/6
Kelly's Queen Block	8/6	9/
Ditto, con.	6/9	7/3
Mt. Morgan	76/	78/
No. 1 North Columbia and Smithfield	6/6	7/
North Oriental and Glanmire	—	3/
No. 1 North Oriental and Glanmire	—	14/6
No. 2 North Victory	4/	—
Oriental and Columbia Consolidated	—	2/11
Oriental and Glanmire	—	16/9
Papuan	2/2	—
South Glanmire and Monkland	20/8	21/6
South Great Eastern No. 2	37/4½	37/9
South Oriental and Glanmire No. 1	—	9/4
Victoria G.M. Association	2/6	3/2
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.		
Associated	43/	44/6
Boulder Half-mile South	10d	1/
Brown Hill Central	1/4½	1/8
Chaffer's	5/6	6/3
Croesus Proprietary	1/6	2/
Gt. Boulder	18/6	19/3
Ditto, Main Reef	18/	—
Gt. Boulder Perseverance	8/0/	8/3/
Hannan's Block 45	2/9	2/11
Hannan's Oroya	29/	30/
Ivanhoe	8/1/6	8/5/
Kalgurli, London register	63/6	68/6
Kalgurli South, London register	41/	43/
Lake View Consols	8/2/6	8/7/6
Lake View South	2/3	—
Paringa Consolidated	2/3	—
Princess Royal North	5/	—
Ditto, con.	3/6	—
Queensland Menzies	8/9	9/3
Queen Margaret	6/	—
Queen Margaret South	3d	—
Queen Margaret No. 1 South	—	4d

The following sales were reported:—Forenoon: Mount Morgan, 76s 9d; Sulphide Corporation, 8s 8d; B.H. Block 10, 35s. Noon: Sulphide Corporation, 8s 6d; Brilliant Extended, paid, 16s 9d; Queensland Menzies, 9s. Later: Araluen Central, 7s; Broken Hill Proprietary, 34s; No. 2 South Central Great Eastern, 37s 3d; Cobar Chesney, 5s 2d. Afternoon: Band of Hope, 17s 9d. Later: No. 1 North Columbia, 6s 8d; Queensland Menzies, 9s 2d. Later sales: Associated Northern Blocks, 56s 9d; No. 1 North Columbia, 6s 9d.

The Yerranderie Silver-mining Company advise that the last parcel of ore sent to Cockle Creek, 58 tons 3cwt. 3qr. 8lb., returned 15oz. 13dwt. gold, 5059oz. silver, and 4 tons 14cwt. lead. The winding and pumping plant recently purchased has been erected, and gives entire satisfaction.

Mr. R. N. Kirk, agent for the Broken Hill Proprietary Company, Limited, advises the receipt of the following cable:—"London, August 15: Silver, 2s 2 13-16d (official quotation); lead, £11 12s 6d (buyer's price); shares, £1 14s (buyer's.)"

LONDON MINING MARKET.

LONDON, August 16.

Mining quotations are:—
Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 11s 3d.
Mount Lyells, £4.
North Lyells, £2 2s 6d.
Ivanhoe, £8 5s.
Lake View Consols, £8 5s.

TINGHA TIN-MINING.

TINGHA, Friday.

Sullings and party at the Ponds are raising some first-class wash, of which they have a grand face, and a depth of about 4ft. Beckett and party are still raising wash, and are enabled to keep their washing plant going every day, and the results so far are highly satisfactory. Dunshea and party, who recently washed up 18 tons, have sent it to Sydney, and are now busy raising more. Seagrott and party have about 200 loads at grass, and are preparing to wash.

Hamilton and Mitchell have completed their washing with satisfactory results. Graham and party have bottomed their shaft, and have struck some wash estimated to go 2cwt. to the load. They have put a horse and whip on. Hobbs and party have just completed washing up 160 loads for a return of 35cwt. Gorman and Warrington have managed to overcome the water, and are raising some good wash. James Mannix, who struck a rich reef some time ago at the back of the Brickwood Extended, still continues to get splendid results, and from its situation the find is very likely to turn out both rich and permanent.

The Brickwood Extended have finished washing, and have shut down the mine for a few weeks. Hoy and party at Topper's Mountain have obtained suspension of the labour conditions on their block for six months. Morris and party are now busy raising some very good wash. They sold 6½ tons, part of their last washing, in Sydney, and obtained £10 per ton over the local price, the total cost for carriage, &c., only being £10 on the total quantity. Schuman and party, working the adjoining block, are now raising some very good wash, of which they have a good face and depth.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN MINES.

KALGOORLIE, Friday.

While diamond drilling at the No. 2 level of the North Boulder into the Associated Gold Mines property a lode was cut 10ft. wide, worth 25dwt. per ton. The ore body lies well within the Associated ground, and is the first make of good grade ore yet discovered in the northern portion of the mine. This bore is one of the series which it is intended to put across the area north of Judd's shaft.

At the Hainault the lode has been intersected at the west crosscut of the 660ft. level. Values will not be available until to-morrow.

The Boulder Main Reef is continuing the drive south of No. 9 level, and should certainly meet with the main chute of ore which passed southwards at the No. 8 level.

The additional furnace for the Boulder Perseverance sulphide plant is due at Fremantle early next month. The oxidised ore reserves in this mine, it is officially estimated, will keep the Lakeside battery supplied for six months. At No. 7 level the drive on the main lode is being rapidly pushed northwards to open the 20ft. of rich ore body located by the diamond drill near the north boundary. The main lode at the No. 3 level maintains its width and value, the north face recently passing through 8oz. ore for the full width of the drive, a distance of 40ft.

HILLGROVE MINING.

HILLGROVE, Friday.

Baker's Creek battery has been running full time, and for the fortnight crushed 470 tons from the middle reef for 468oz. Smith's total of 515 tons gave a yield of 372oz. 14dwt. of smelted gold, with 18 tons of concentrates on hand.

The Eleanora battery during the week crushed 34 tons for Moroney for a yield of 32oz. 14dwt. of smelted gold; also 19 tons for Molloy for a yield of 32oz. 11dwt. of smelted gold. The battery is now crushing for other tributers. Since August 1 the Eleanora Company sent away 18 tons of roasted concentrates.

The New England Scheelite and Gold Company at the Warden's Court yesterday, were granted six months' suspension.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

Sales and quotations on the Exchange were:—Broken, 33s 9d, 33s 6d, buyer 33s 3d, seller 33s 9d; North Broken Hill, 8s 1d, buyer 7s 11d, seller 8s 2d; Broken Hill South, paid, 17s 4½d, 17s 6d, 16s 6d, seller 16s 9d; South Blocks, paid, 4s 5d, buyer 4s 3d, seller 4s 5d; Junction North, 1s 2d, 1s 2½d, 1s 1½d, buyer 1s 1d, seller 1s 1½d; Sulphides Pref., buyer 18s, seller 20s; ditto Ordinary, 8s 7d, 8s 4d, buyer 8s 3d, seller 8s 6d; Associated Gold Mines (colonial), 44s, buyer 43s 3d, seller 43s 9d; ditto Northern Blocks, 56s 9d, 57s, 56s 3d, buyer 56s 9d, seller 56s 3d; Block 45, 2s 11d, buyer 2s 11d, seller 3s 1d; Bonnie Charlie, contributing, 7d; Boulder North Extended, 9½d, 9d, 9½d; Croesus Proprietary, 1s 9d, 1s 7d, 1s 6d, buyer 1s 6d, seller 1s 8d; Chaffer's, buyer 5s 7d, seller 5s 11d; Cosmopolitan, buyer 27s, seller 28s; Great Boulder, 18s 9d, 19s, buyer 18s 9d, seller 19s; Boulder Main Reef, 18s 7½d, 18s 9d, 18s 6d, buyer 18s 3d, seller 18s 7½d; Great Boulder Perseverance, £8 2s, buyer £8, seller £8 3s; Hannan's Central Extended, 1s 0½d, 1s, 1s 0½d; Hainault, 16s 3d, 16s, buyer 16s, seller 16s 3d; Hannan's Oroya, Colonial, 29s, 29s 3d, 29s, buyer 28s 9d, seller 29s 3d; Imperial Boulder, 4d; Ironsides North, contributing, 6½d, 7d; Ivanhoe, Colonial, buyer £8 4s, seller £8 6s; ditto Junction, 3s 7d, 3s 8d, 3s 6½d, buyer 3s 6d, seller 3s 6½d; Ivanhoe and Boulder Junction, 1s 4½d, 1s 4d, buyer 1s 4d, seller 1s 4½d; Lake View Consols, Colonial, buyer £8 6s, seller £8 9s; Lake View South, 2s 4d, 2s 3½d, buyer 2s 2d, seller 2s 4d; Princess Royal North, paid, 5s 2d, 5s 5d, 5s 4½d, buyer 5s 4½d, seller 5s 5d; ditto, contributing, 4s 0½d, 4s, 4s 2d, buyer 4s 1d, seller 4s 2d; Princess Royal South, contributing, 11½d, 11d, 1s; Queen Margaret, 6s 9d, 6s 10d, buyer 6s 9d, seller 6s 4d; ditto No 1 South, 3½d; South Kalgurli, 42s 6d, 42s 3d, buyer 42s 3d; Queensland Menzies, 8s 9d, 8s 11d, buyer 8s 10d, seller 8s 11d; Westralia Waihi, paid, buyer 5s 4d, seller 6s; Baker's Creek, buyer 7s 6d, seller 7s 9d; Tarcoola Enterprise, 4s, 3s 10d, buyer 3s 10d, seller 4s; Tarcoola Blocks, 19s, 19s 10½d, 19s 9d, buyer 19s 6d, seller 19s 9d; Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 11s, 11s 4½d, 10s 9d, buyer 10s 7½d, seller 10s 10½d; Mungana, 7s, 6s 10d, buyer 6s 9d, seller 6s 11d; Great Gunson, contributing, 3½d; Paull's, 25s, seller 25s; Wallaroo, buyer 22s 6d, seller 24s 3d; South Australian copper, 21s, buyer 21s; North Queensland tin, £65, £62 10s; Coolgarra, contributing, 17s 6d, buyer 15s, seller 25s.

ALBURY, Friday.

Thomas Miles and party, working at One Tree Hill, have had excellent results from six weeks' work, 8 tons of stuff put through having yielded 39oz. of gold.

BALLARAT, Friday.

On the Exchange to-day sales were:—Band and Loch United, 2s 9d, 2s 10d; Birthday South, 11s 4½d; Birthday Tunnel, 6s; Duke of York, 12s 6d, 12s 10½d, 12s 9d; Empress of India, 4½d; Great Gleniue, 2½d; Kangaroo, 8s 3d, 6s 4½d; Last Chance United, 3s 5d, 3s 6d; New Canton, 1s 1d; North Duke, 3s 7½d, 3s 6d; Queen of Plains, 10d; Sailor Falls North, 1s 3d; Staffordshire Reef, 2s 3d, 2s; William's Fancy, 2s 9d.

BENDIGO, Friday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Byron Consols, 7½d; Central Cookman, 5½d, 6½d; Clarence, 43s; Ellenborough, 3s 1d; Mundy Gully, 1s 11d to 1s 11½d; New Argus, 24s 3d; New Chum Railway, 6s (25); New Hopeful, 5s 3d; New Prince of Wales, 8s 6d, 10s; Shenandoah, 1s 11d; South Devon, 5s 1½d; Victoria Quartz, 13s 2d (50).

BRISBANE, Friday.

Quotations on the Exchange to-day were:—Chillagoe Railway and Mines, buyer 11s, seller 11s 6d; ditto, forward, buyer 11s 3d, seller 12s; Mungana, buyer 7s, seller 7s 1d. Sales were: Queensland Menzies, 8s 9d, 9s, 9s 3d, 9s 4d; ditto, forward, 9s 6d; Mungana, 7s, 7s 1d, 7s 2d.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Friday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Bonnie Dundee, 13s; Brilliant Freehold, paid, 1s 1d; Day Dawn Gold Mines, 15s; Kulamadau, contributing, 2s 5d; Marshall's Queen, contributing, 16s 3d, 16s 6d; Mill's United, 3s 10d; New Queen, 6s 3d; North Queen, contributing, 1s 2d; Queen's Cross Reef, 10s 9d; Victoria, 3s 2d, 3s 3d.

GYMPIE, Friday.

The manager of the North Oriental and Glanmire reports cutting slate country in the crosscut west of the 1326ft. level, 200ft. from the shaft.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were: No. 2 North Columbia Smithfield, 4s 1d, 4s; Oriental Surprise, 4d; Oriental and Columbia Consols, 10d, 9½d; No. 5 North Phœnix, 1s 2d, 1s 2½d; No. 2 North Victory, 3s 11d, 3s 9d. Quotations were: Columbia Smithfield, buyer 1s 1½d, seller 1s 2½d; No. 1 North Columbia Smithfield, buyer 6s 7d, seller 7s 2d; Columbia Extended, buyer 1s 1d, seller 1s 3½d; South Glanmire and Monkland, buyer 21s, seller 22s; No. 2 South Great Eastern, buyer 37s 6d, seller 38s 6d; Great Eastern and Orient Tributes, buyer 4d, seller 5d; No. 2 North Oriental and Glanmire, buyer 2s 5d, seller 3s; No. 1 South Oriental and Glanmire, buyer 8s 6d, seller 9s 1d; Oriental Extended, contributing, buyer 6d, seller 9d; East Oriental and Glanmire, contributing, buyer 3s 8d, seller 3s 10d; No. 5 North Phœnix, buyer 1s 2½d, seller 1s 3d; No. 6 North Phœnix, buyer 6½d, seller 7½d; Phœnix Eastern Tributes, buyer 3s, seller 3s 8d; Queen's Oriental, contributing, buyer 6½d, seller 7½d; North Smithfield, buyer 6s, seller 8s; No. 2 North Victory, buyer 3s 7½d, seller 3s 10d.

HOBART, Friday.

Quotations on the Exchange to-day were:—Hercules, buyer 6s 9d, seller 7s 4d; North Lyell, buyer 39s 6d; British Reid, buyer 7s, seller 14s; Brother's Home, buyer 7d; Mount Bischoff, buyer £32 10s, seller £34.

LITHGOW, Friday.

Reports from Burraga state that the various surface works in connection with the Lloyd Copper Company are making great headway, and that the concentrating and calcine plants and reverberatories should be completed within a few months. Good progress is also being made at Thompson's Creek water works, and pipes for the connections to the mine continue to arrive almost daily.

LAUNCESTON, Friday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Whyte River Dredging, 5s 6d; North Farrells, seller 4s. Quotations were:—Tasmanian Gold Mines, buyer £6 0s 6d, seller £6 1s 6d; Magnet, buyer 27s 6d, seller 29s; Hercules, buyer 7s, seller 7s 3d; North Farrell, buyer 3s 9d, seller 4s 7d; Mount Lyell, buyer 80s, seller 82s; North Lyell, buyer 38s, seller 42s; Tasmanian Copper, buyer 3s 9d, seller 5s; Chillagoe Railway and Mines, buyer 10s 6d, seller 11s 6d; Briseis, buyer 9s; Mount Bischoff, buyer £33 5s, seller £34; Mount Rex, buyer 6s, seller 9s.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

On the Exchange to-day:—Broken Hill Block 10 sold at 35s, 34s 6d; South Blocks, 2s 2d, 2s 3d, and paid, 4s 6d; Mount Lyell, 80s; Mount Lyell Blocks, 5s 6d, 5s 3d, 5s 9d; Crown Lyell, 3s 6d, 3s 9d, 3s 8d; North Crown Lyell, paid, 6d; Tasman and Crown Extended, paid, 1s 6½d; Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 11s 3d, 11s 4½d, 11s 1½d; Mount Garnet Freehold, 32s; Mungana, 6s 11d, 7s; Cape York Peninsula, £5 15s; Copper Top, 8s 9d; Elliott Diamond and Tin, contributing, 2s 6d; King Conrad, 7s; Phillips River, 7s; Phillips River, options, £10 10s, £10 5s; Glenfine South, 27s, 27s 3d, 27s; Long Tunnel, 15s; Long Tunnel Extended, £5 7s; South German, 35s; South New Moon, 60s; Band and Loch, 2s 10d, 2s 11d; Birthday Tunnel, 6s; Buckeye, 1s 6d, 1s 10d; Campbell's Creek, 10d; Cardigan, 1s 8d; Cassilia, 26s; Central Plateau, 2s 8d; Chiltern Valley Consols, 1s 10d, 2s 1d; Duchess of Cornwall 3s 6d, 3s 3d; Duke North, 3s 5d, 3s 1d, 3s 4d; Duke of Wellington, 4s 6d; Duke of York, 12s 9d, 11s 9d, 12s 4½d, 12s 1½d; Exchange, 2s 1d; Golden Dyke, 5s 6d; Great South Long Tunnel, 5d; Imperial Queen, 5½d; Moonlight, 9½d; Moonlight North, 4s 2d, 4s; New Dempsey, 9s 6d; New Prince of Wales, 9s; Sir John Franklin, paid, 2s 3d; South Birthday, 11s; Victor's Quartz, 35s; West Berry Consols, 7s 10d.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

Several lots of stone are undergoing treatment. Some parcels of tin stone from Buddigower are being treated at Nicolas's battery.

YIELDS.

GOLD.

Victoria (Charters Towers) crushed 367 tons for 555oz.

REPORTS.

The manager of the King Conrad Silver and Lead Mining Company reports to August 10:—Main shaft, 300ft. level: Crosscut extended 16ft., total 56ft. Country rock not much changed, but laying away from the shaft faster than at 150ft.: evidently taking the reef further from the shaft than was anticipated. There are veins containing galena, mispickel, and zinc blende coming in in the face, striking in the direction of the lode. Water increasing as we get towards the lode. 150ft. level: Better progress is being made here. The total distance driven on the lode is now 151ft., for the week 29ft. The horse of mullock reported last week in the north end is now almost cut out, and the reef is settling down with very nice galena showing. About 50ft. of the lode is standing in the south-east end. This will be taken down next week and sampled. 5A winze: Sunk 6ft., the lode being the same size and value. Everything from this shaft is being put up into the ore paddock, the lode being from 4ft. 6in. to 6ft. wide. Concentrating plant: Engine has arrived on the mine, and has been placed in position. The second Gates crusher is here, and some of the Roger rolls. These will be placed in position by the end of next week. Fair progress is being made with the ore bin and other work in connection with this plant.

The manager of the Girilambone Copper-mining Company reports for week ended August 8:—No. 1 level: Dunstan's stope continues to look well in west end; have been breaking ore here throughout the week. No. 2 level: Bethel's stope—Quality of ore improving; rise between Nos. 3 and 4 levels risen 8ft., bunches of pyrites showing in face. No. 5 level: Some good bodies of copper ore showing. Mill treated 131½ tons crude ore, producing 15 tons of concentrates of average value. Ore despatched to Cockle Creek: Carbonate concentrates, 17 tons 8cwt. 2qr. 22lb.; sulphide concentrates, 4 tons 8cwt. 1qr. 9lb.; crude carbonates, 10 tons 11cwt. 1qr. 10lb.; crude black ore, 3 tons 18cwt. 1qr. 14lb.; total, 36 tons 6cwt. 3qr. 27lb.

The manager of the North Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company reports for the week ended August 10:—North drive from the 300ft. crosscut extended 9½ft., total from crosscut 136ft. Country in face at present very hard, being quartz diorite. South drive from the 300ft. crosscut extended 8ft., total 71½ft. from crosscut. During the week this drive has been carrying a full face of quartz intermixed with iron and copper pyrites.

The builder of the Wylie Creek Tin-dredging Company's dredge reports for the fortnight ended August 10 having completed the whole of the planking, put in single thread of oakum into the whole of the seams, and completed caulking half of bottom planking. The excavation of paddock is nearly completed, and pontoon will be ready for launching by the 24th instant.

The manager of the Feltworth Silver-mining Company, No Liability (Burragorang), reports to August 10.—Stoping at point 55ft. to 80ft. north of main shaft, ore of usual quality. Raised and graded 40 bags. Waiting for carrier to take load away for Cockle Creek.

The manager of the Queen Margaret Gold-mining Company, Limited, Bulong, W.A., reports to August 10:—300ft. level: Driven east on the crosscut 122ft.; country schist, stringers of quartz. South drive in 82ft.; breaking fair grade ore. 300ft. level: South drive in 84ft.; lode rather disturbed. 400ft. level: South drive in 288ft.; face looks well; medium ore broken from stopes. Thirteen head running on company's stone, five on public crushing.

The manager of the Mount Garnet and Chillagoe Exploration Company, No Liability, North Queensland, reports to July 27:—Mount Cardwell: No. 3 prospecting shaft sunk to 19ft.; hematite full width of shaft. Mount Garnet: Crosscut from No. 5 shaft extended to 18ft.

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THE TURF.

Mr. C. S. Guest, secretary of the Hawkesbury District Agricultural Association, announces through our business sheets that a grand parade of stallions—blood, trotting, and draught—and other pedigreed stock will be held on the Hawkesbury Racecourse, Clarendon, on Wednesday next, 21st instant, commencing at noon. A distance handicap trot is included in the programme. Visitors from the metropolis can reach the trysting place in good time by the train starting from Redfern at 9.25 a.m.

The following scratchings were recorded yesterday in connection with the race meeting to be held at Rosehill to-day:—Granville Stakes, Gozan, Perfect; Clyde Handicap, Roi de Lis, Cordon; Parramatta Mile, Miss Marion, Negrito.

The committee of the Goulburn Racing Club has decided that its next race meeting will be held on October 19, when a £90 programme will be run through.

The Cooma Racing Club has decided to hold its spring meeting on November 27.

An opportune and welcome addition to turf literature is volume 12 of the "Australian Racing Chronicle," which has just reached us from the publishers, J. J. Miller Print Co., 45½ Post Office-place, Melbourne. The work, which bears evidence of careful and accurate compilation, contains a record of all race meetings held in the Commonwealth during the latter half of the past season, which ended on the 31st ultimo. The reports of the race meetings include the distances, names of starters, weights, riders, betting, how won, and times for all events, and the copious index comprises the description, age, sex, and pedigree, as well as the names of the owner or owners that the horse has raced under during the period of review. Besides this indispensable information to all students of racing the publication includes the entries for the classic events and the weights for the big handicaps of the spring, together with tabulated records of the placed horses in all the principal events of the Australian turf, record turf performances, w.f.a. scale, and starting-price ready reckoner, all find a place in the handy volume, which contains the reports of 849 race meetings for the year, or with volume 11, which records racing for the first six months of the past season, makes a grand total of 1611 races for the whole season. The price of the volume is 7s 6d.

On Monday next Messrs. William Inglis and Son will offer for sale the right to charge for admission at the entrance gates and the St. Leger reserve in connection with the August race meeting of Tattersall's Club.

Mr. S. R. Kennedy, a member of the A.J.C., who had given due notice of his intention to move, at the annual meeting of the members of the club, for the abolition of the entrance fee of one shilling at the outer gate at Randwick on race days, has written to the chairman of the club (Hon. H. C. Dangar), intimating that with the concurrence of the meeting, he intends to withdraw the motion standing in his name. Mr. Kennedy gives as his reason for so doing, that having discussed the matter with many members of the club, he has come to the conclusion that it would only lead to a fruitless debate, and consequent waste of time, as there is a very slight possibility of the members agreeing to his proposals. Though he has decided upon the withdrawal of the motion standing in his name, Mr. Kennedy states that he is fully convinced that free access to the "flat" at Randwick would not entail any serious loss to the club, inasmuch as what would be lost in one way would be gained in another, and he further points out that, while in other branches of sport during the last half-score years the attendance has increased fully 50 per cent., there has been no perceptible increase in the attendance at Randwick. In support of this view he quotes the takings at the outer gate from 1895 to 1900 inclusive, as under:—1895, £4080 12s 6d; 1896, £4435 19s; 1897, £4177 16s; 1898, £4030 16s; 1899, £4017; 1900, £3867. Mr. Kennedy also explains that his initial action in this matter was not prompted by any antagonistic feeling towards the club, but merely in the interests of the turf, and with the earnest desire to make horseracing a public amusement, and, not merely a gambling medium for a few.

Betting on the Epsom Handicap in the local betting market is confined in the main to three horses, namely Kenley, Sequence, and Abington, and yesterday the price offering was 100 to 8 each of them, while 100 to 5 was obtainable about Leapfrog and others.

ROSEHILL RACING CLUB.

The August reunion of the Rosehill Racing Club takes place this afternoon on the popular trysting-place adjacent to the Parramatta River, where complete arrangements have been made to ensure a very pleasant outing. The programme framed for the occasion is an excellent one, and the presence of a number of prominent horses with A.J.C. and Victorian engagements for the leading events of the spring cannot fail to invest the racing with great interest. In the catering, as in all other departments, ample provision has been made for the requirements of visitors; and the special service by rail from Redfern includes trains starting at 11.40 a.m. (horses), 12.20 p.m. (mixed), 12.50 and 12.55 p.m. (first class), 1 p.m. (second-class), 1.8, 1.27, and 1.41 p.m. (mixed). The 12.20, 12.55, 1, and 1.27 p.m. stop at Strathfield to pick up passengers, and that leaving at 1.41 p.m. stops at Petersham, Lewisham, Summer Hill, Ashfield, and Strathfield, thence direct to the course. Racing commences at 2.10 p.m. with the Clyde Handicap, in which a number of good performers are engaged, and those that appear to have good chances are Abington, Sequence, Caledonia, Undaunted, Kenley, Portland Light, Canadian, Leapfrog, and Miss Minerva. A large field may be anticipated. A good battle may be expected, and the places may go to Miss Minerva, Kenley, and Caledonia, unless separated by Portland Light. The Hunt Club Steeplechase should bring about a good exhibition of cross-country racing, and the principal parts may be taken by Sportsman, Tatts, and Grenfell, who may get home as named. The Park Stakes promise to attract a large field, and the best at the weights seem to be Royal King, Hazel Girl, Essington, Alannah, Kinglock, and Blaxland, and the numbers may go up for Royal King, Hazel Girl, and Essington. An interesting race is promised for the Rosehill August Handicap, in which the settlement of the question may be fought out among Brazen Lad, Lord Rudolph, Redeemed, Leapfrog, and La Hogue. Should Leapfrog run up to recent form he must be very hard to beat, otherwise the places may be occupied by Brazen Lad, Lord Rudolph, and La Hogue. The high-class quality of the candidates for the Hopetoun Stakes invests the race with great interest, and a great contest may be looked for, in which San Fran, Grasspan, Sir Leonard, Sequence, and April Fool should be greatly in evidence at the finish, and the situations may go to Grasspan, Sir Leonard, and San Fran, unless separated by Chassepot. Kenley, Beauclere, Paradox, Yarrabee, Benedick, Zone, Rock Gun, and Hoop Iron should run well in the Parramatta Mile, and Yarrabee, Benedick, and Beauclere may command the attention of the judge as named. Appended is the bill of fare:—

Clyde Handicap, 6½ furlongs.—Sequence, 9st 10lb; Ferryman, 9st 10lb; Abington, 8st 10lb; Reviver, 8st 8lb; Gameboy, 8st 5lb; Whakawatea, 8st 13lb; Beauclere, 8st 13lb; Undaunted, 8st 10lb; Caledonia, 8st 1lb; Paradox, 8st 8lb; Blue Cap II., 8st 4lb; Portland Light, 8st 2lb; Cast Iron, 8st; Tam o' Shanter, 8st; Canadian, 8st; Leapfrog, 8st; Kenley, 8st; Alfonso, 7st 12lb; Alinga, 7st 12lb; Stroar, 7st 4lb; Miss Minerva, 7st 4lb; Edna, 7st; Chippy Norton, 7st; Klimbo, 7st; Ruskin, 6st 10lb; Australia, 6st 10lb; Aladdin, 6st 10lb; Stelene, 6st 8lb; Newry, 6st 8lb; Queen of Sheba, 6st 8lb; Oceanic, 6st 7lb; Ruella, 6st 7lb.

Hunt Club Steeplechase, 2½ miles.—Sportsman, 13st 3lb; Coxcomb, 12st; Grenfell, 12st; Reeves, 11st 8lb; Daisy Bell, 11st 8lb; Unity, 11st 7lb; Greygown, 11st 7lb; Tatts, 11st 4lb; Larry, 11st; Diana, 11st; My Jack, 11st; Three, 11st.

Granville Stakes, 6 furlongs.—Royal King, 9st 5lb; Mackay, 8st 8lb; Barragunda, 8st; Hazel Girl, 7st 11lb; Goldwing, 7st 9lb; Fickle, 7st 9lb; Essington, 7st 9lb; Alannah, 7st 5lb; Patch, 7st 5lb; High Jinks, 7st 5lb; Newry, 7st 5lb; Blaxland, 7st 3lb; Barrister, 7st 3lb; Kinglock, 7st 3lb; Volt, 6st 9lb; St. Mars, 6st 9lb; Peveril of the Peak, 6st 9lb; P.M.S., 6st 9lb; Importance, 6st 9lb; Salus, 6st 9lb; Horseshoe, 6st 9lb; Malmaison, 6st 7lb; Patronise, 6st 7lb; Fanfare, 6st 7lb; The Plant, 6st 7lb; Ruewarra, 6st 7lb; Lady Grafton, 6st 7lb; Carnia, 6st 7lb.

Rosehill August Handicap, 1 mile and 3 furlongs.—Ohio, 9st 5lb; Rabato, 9st; Brazen Lad, 8st 12lb; Lord Rudolph, 8st 6lb; Cyanide, 8st 2lb; Centurion, 8st 2lb; Golden Ring, 8st 2lb; Royal Purple, 8st; Redeemed, 7st 12lb; Leapfrog, 7st 10lb; Horace, 7st 3lb; Jeanette, 7st 3lb; La Hogue, 7st 3lb; Linden, 6st 9lb; Acmena, 6st 9lb; Hoop Iron, 6st 7lb; Bellwood, 6st 7lb; Patronage, 6st 7lb.

Hopetoun Stakes, 1 mile and 1 furlong.—Gaulson, 9st 11lb (including 7lb penalty); Sequence, 9st 11lb (including 7lb penalty); Reviver, 9st 11lb (including 7lb penalty); April Fool, 9st 4lb; Abington, 9st 1lb; Ferryman, 9st 1lb; Rabato, 9st 1lb; San Fran, 9st; Acumen, 9st; Cyanide, 8st 13lb; Bulli, 8st 11lb; St. Mars, 8st 4lb (claims 10lb allowance); Nymagee, 8st 1lb (including 7lb penalty); Grasspan, 8st 1lb (including 7lb penalty); Sir Leonard, 7st 8lb; Prince Butler, 7st 8lb; Caravel, 7st 8lb; Chassepot, 7st 5lb; Vino, 7st 3lb (allowed 5lb); Barley Bree, 6st 12lb (allowed 5lb).

Parramatta Mile.—St. Clare, 10st; Beauclere, 10st; Paradox, 9st 10lb; Yarrabee, 9st 2lb; Canadian, 9st 2lb; Kenley, 9st 2lb; Benedick, 9st; Fireman, 9st; Mackay, 8st 8lb; Portague, 8st 8lb; Bulli, 8st 6lb; Womerah, 8st 4lb; Edna, 8st 2lb; Klimbo, 8st 2lb; Cin, 8st 2lb; The Kiss, 8st 2lb; Acetine, 8st 2lb; Mona, 8st 2lb; Redmond, 8st; Chryso Keras, 8st; Barragunda, 8st; Zone, 8st; Bivalve, 8st; Neichdale, 7st 12lb; Brilliant Shine, 7st 12lb; Rock Gun, 7st 12lb; Still Water, 7st 12lb; Tilimby, 7st 12lb; Patch, 7st 7lb; Hoop Iron, 7st 7lb; Bellwood, 7st 7lb; The Maine, 7st 7lb; Laurel, 7st 7lb; Waterflow, 7st 7lb; Booby, 7st 7lb; Steel Ball, 7st 7lb.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NEWS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Santoi has been scratched for the Show Handicap and Kildare for the Steeplechase to be run at Flemington to-morrow.

In order to give J. King time to appeal (if he so desires) against the decision of the Moonee Valley stewards in disqualifying him for two years the V.R.C. committee did not go into the Plunger case at its meeting to-day. A special meeting is to be held on Tuesday next to consider the case.

J. Hewton is leaving for India next week. He will take Fairlight and one or two other horses with him.

J. Nicolson has resumed training at Flemington, and has taken up Songbird, and a two-year-old by Light Artillery from Tottie.

The V.R.C. committee have removed the disqualification inflicted upon J. C. Scarlett on May 18, 1896, at the instance of the Great Southern Racing Club stewards.

BRIGHTON PONY AND GALLOWAY RACES.

The pony and galloway races held at Brighton yesterday were well attended. In connection with the Midget Handicap A. Armour and C. Armour were disqualified during the pleasure of the committee. Cissy and Billy Wilson collided in the Trot, throwing their riders out and bolting. They interfered considerably with the race, and only the two placed horses finished. Results:—

Tramway Welter Handicap (14.3), 4 furlongs 30 yards.—R. J. Ward's Lee Weller, 8st 9lb (M'Gregor), 1; Amazon, 8st 3lb, 2. Nine started. Betting: 3 to 1 v. Albert, 4 to 1 each v. Y Not and Lee Weller, 5 to 1 v. Amazon, 6 to 1 v. The Comet, 7 to 1 v. Grundy. Time, 55¼ seconds.

Midget Handicap (13.1), 3½ furlongs.—J. T. Llewelyn's Matas, 7st (Manly), 1; The Painter, 8st 3lb, 2. Six started. Betting: 5 to 4 v. Goodness, 4 to 1 v. Charlie, 5 to 1 each v. Foam and Matas, 6 to 1 v. The Painter. Won by a length. Time, 45½ seconds.

Time Handicap Trot, 2 miles.—J. Francis' Tot, 22 seconds behind (Warden), 1; O.P., scratch (Loseby), 2. Eleven started. Betting: 6 to 4 v. Nimblefoot, 5 to 2 v. Billy Wilson, 4 to 1 v. Tot, 6 to 1 v. O.P., 8 to 1 v. Jersey. Won by 20 yards. Time, 5 minutes 43 seconds.

Rockdale Handicap (14.2), 4 furlongs 30 yards.—W. Herbert's Primrose, 7st 12lb (M'Mahon), 1; The Masher, 8st 7lb (Punnell), 2. Nine started. Betting: 3 to 4 v. The Masher, 7 to 4 v. Primrose, 5 to 1 v. Carmenta. Won by half a length. Time, 56 seconds.

Brighton Handicap (all heights), 5 furlongs 10 yards.—J. Tomlinson's Triwood, 8st 10lb (Whitbread), 1; Ginger, 8st 10lb, 2. Seven started: Betting: 5 to 4 v. Little Gull, 5 to 2 v. Ginger, 3 to 1 v. Triwood, 7 to 1 v. Laurel. Won by a head. Time, 1 minute 6 seconds.

FOREST LODGE PONY AND GALLOWAY RACES.

The following handicaps have been declared for the above races to be run on Monday next:—

Trial Stakes (15.0), 5 furlongs.—Metalloid, 9st 3lb; St. Blair, 8st 12lb; King Bee, 8st 9lb; Aimee, 8st 1lb; Stocklet, 7st 10lb; So E, 7st 7lb; Lioness, 7st 5lb; Malala, 7st; Wild Oak, 7st; Margaret, 7st.

Fourteen-one Handicap, 4 furlongs.—Forget-me-not, 9st; Amber, 8st 5lb; Nada, 8st; Mulette, 7st 12lb; Fuse, 7st 8lb; Miss Chetwynd, 7st 3lb; Sir Edward II., 7st 3lb; Zelda, 7st 2lb; Lorina, 7st; Neytha, 7st; Cronje, 7st; Black Pearl, 7st.

Forest Lodge Handicap of 40 sovs. (15.0), 6 furlongs.—My Bird, 9st 11lb; Bonnie Boy, 9st 7lb; Paddy, 8st 10lb; Au Revoir II., 8st 6lb; Nightfall, 8st 3lb; Carlotta, 8st 2lb; Y Not, 8st 2lb; Bill Dean, 8st; Metalloid, 7st 8lb; Laurel, 7st 5lb; Crimson, 7st 5lb; Ikey, 7st 3lb; Oxide, 7st; Tib, 7st; W.A., 7st; Fair Play, 7st.

Thirteen-three Handicap, 4 furlongs.—Theo II., 9st 11lb; Kallenite, 9st 11lb; Mickey, 9st 8lb; Mirror, 9st; Golddust, 8st 6lb; Jealousy, 7st 9lb; Mistake, 7st 5lb; Smacker, 7st 2lb; Agitation, 7st.

COOTAMUNDRA RACES.

COOTAMUNDRA, Friday.

The following entries have been received:—

Hurdle Race.—Crick, Battler, Hebe, Walton, Rival, Railway.

Spring Handicap.—Wag, Mermaid, Matong, Rival, Corn Cob, Cyrus.

SALES OF BLOOD STOCK.

WILLIAM INGLIS AND SON'S TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL SALE OF STALLIONS AND MARES.

Messrs. William Inglis and Son held their twenty-second annual sale of stallions and mares at their bazaar, Pitt-street, on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 13th and 14th instant, when there was a large attendance on each day. The catalogue comprised blood, roadster, trotting, draught, and pony stallions, also draught mares, but consisted principally of draught stallions. All the light stallions were disposed of, as also nearly all the draughts, but there was a great scarcity of good young blood, roadster, and trotting sires, and many buyers for this class had to go unsupplied. The draught stallions were principally young, many of them rising 3 years; good animals, fit for immediate work, were scarce. The sale on the whole must be considered a satisfactory one, the firm disposing of a larger number than at any of their annual sales held of late years. The following is a list of the various lots sold:—

Roadster Stallions.—Lord Derby, aged, 40 guineas, H. White; St. Ives, aged, 65 guineas, J. T. Delaney.

Trotting Stallions.—Brooklyn, aged, 45 guineas, W. Barlow; bay colt, rising 2 years, by Elmo II., B. A. Cutler, 32½ guineas; bay colt, 1 year, by Elmo II., 20 guineas, F. D. Brown; Vermont, junior, aged, R. Beckett, 15 guineas; Young Yorkie, Thibault Brothers, 48 guineas; Gilbert, H. White, 75 guineas.

Draught Stallions.—Woodside Champion, rising 3 years, J. Howell, 70 guineas; Prince Colin, rising 3 years, 130 guineas, S. Page; Burley Lad, 3 years, R. Beckett, 35 guineas; Rob Roy, 7 years, P. M. Bourke, 66 guineas; Young Robin, 4 years, H. M'Cormick, 85 guineas; Pale Blue, aged, 30 guineas, L. Donovan; Royal Prince, rising 2 years, 61 guineas, W. Cooper; Gleniffer, rising 3 years, 45 guineas, W. Cooper; Roderick, rising 3 years, Watson Brothers, 25 guineas; Federation, rising 3 years, 60 guineas, J. Murphy; Honest Tom, 6 years, J. Phillips, 125 guineas; Lord Beauchamp, rising 4 years, 100 guineas, A. J. Moreton; Charmer's son, rising 2 years, J. Brennan, 70 guineas; Young Charmer, aged, J. Storey, 55 guineas; Promise, aged, F. Greentree, 45 guineas; bay colt, rising 4 years, T. Cogan, 33 guineas; Cronje, rising 3 years, J. J. Murphy, 59 guineas; Scotchman, rising 3 years, T. Mooney, 64 guineas; Lion King, rising 2 years, M. H. Blake, 35 guineas; bay colt, rising 2 years, J. Tumeth, 35 guineas; brown colt, rising 3 years, J. J. Gilliham, 50 guineas; bay colt, rising 2 years, F. H. Guy, 41 guineas; Prince Lion, rising 4 years, F. Foley, 65 guineas; Young Keith, rising 4 years, W. Cooper, 50 guineas; roan colt, rising 2 years, Watson Brothers, 34 guineas.

Pony Stallions.—Playboy, 20 guineas, G. J. Durlus; Silverwood, J. M'Dougall, 9 guineas; Prince Charlie, 12 guineas, A. Hind.

Also 28 draught mares from 16 guineas to 46 guineas.

COURSING.

N.S.W. NATIONAL COURSING ASSOCIATION.

THIRD DAY.

The final meeting of the season of the N.S.W. National Coursing Association was brought to a successful conclusion at the Woodstock enclosure, Rooty Hill, yesterday. There was again a good attendance, but the weather was slightly too warm for coursing. The ground, as on the previous days, was hard, and many of the dogs were lamed. This, however, could not be helped owing to the absence of rain in the district for some time. The judging of Mr. Cooper met with general approval, though a number of favourites were put out of the stakes, and it is remarkable that in the four finals the non-favourites won. The hares were regular racers, and the feature of the meeting has been the large number of strong hares slipped.

Proceedings commenced with the third ties of the Cup. Majestic and Rower were slipped to a racing hare that went to the foot of the hill before it was turned by Majestic, who just got up in front of Rower. Majestic wrenched, and then Rower took possession, turning and wrenching and sending the hare to cover. The next course was also an exciting one, Harriet leading up Atlanta (the favourite for the stake) after a racing hare by two lengths and turning. Harriet drove at the hare, missing her mark and running wide, when Atlanta got on the game, wrenching a couple of times and turning and sending the game to cover. In the deciding course Majestic led to the hare, who favoured him, by three lengths, and turned and wrenched. Harriet made a couple of cross drives trying to kill, but missed, and the hare running into the fence Majestic killed, winning easily. It appears that soon after the greyhounds were slipped they collided, which might have interfered with Harriet, who is only a handful, but her defeat on top of the pace and work she showed with Atlanta was unexpected, the public laying 5 to 2 on Harriet. Atlanta and Majestic were run in the same interests, it being generally thought Atlanta was the better, and this opinion was supported by past form and her position in the betting. It must now be conceded Majestic is a much better dog than his recent form would lead one to suppose. It will be remembered he divided the Derby at Rooty Hill with Goldlink. He is well bred, being by Goldsmith, a brother to Tennyson and a half-brother to Lindsay Gordon and Blackbird, from Flora, by Kildahl (a New Zealand dog), from Rebellion—Westeria. Majestic is a full brother to Megaphone, a well-known performer in Victoria, where the winner has been racing with indifferent success to within the last week. Majestic is a big dog with a deal of pace and good on his game. He must be also very plucky, for when picked up after winning the stake the pads were worn down on two of his feet and he was decidedly lame. The runner-up, Harriet, was also lame and tender-footed. She was brought over with three other dogs from Victoria by Mr. Kenyon, an enthusiastic and enterprising courser, and is by Confidence, a line of blood much favoured by Mr. Kenyon, from Henrietta, by Last Request from the Coveted Lass, by Master Joe (imp.). Confidence is by Gameboy from Westeria, a famous bitch. The owners of the two dogs in the final are popular in the coursing world, and the victory of the winner was well received.

In the St. Leger a strong hare was slipped for the course between Satinette and Buffalo Bill, and it was a close run up between them, the hare breaking in favour of Satinette, who put in the first turn. Buffalo Bill then wrenched and worked like a Trojan on his game, but he had not time to wipe out the score against him. Clarence Mangan led by two lengths from Waxy and turned, but then scouted, and Waxy got in, wrenching thrice, but the hare, turning smartly, gave both the dogs a slip. Clarence Mangan, however, was the first up to it, and kept in until the hare escaped. In the final Satinette and Clarence Mangan were slipped to another strong hare, and though Clarence Mangan was in front he was off the line of his game, and Satinette turned and kept in with the exception of a wrench secured by Clarence Mangan. The latter was favourite at 5 to 4 on. Cuckoo, in the second ties of the Ladies' Bracelet, led Misty Rain, and did all the scoring until near the escape, where Misty Rain got in and drove to cover. Beeline met with weak opposition from Gurra, who was visibly affected by her gruelling the previous day. In the third ties Cuckoo led Kanaka by four lengths, and turned and wrenched, when Kanaka turned and wrenched twice, and then Cuckoo got in again, and sent the hare to the escape, winning. Cuckoo ran with a great deal of fire and savagely. In the final, however, Beeline led up Cuckoo by three lengths, and did all the scoring, killing. The public on the strength of the manner in which Cuckoo put out Kanaka laid odds of 5 to 4 on Cuckoo, but Beeline ran quite up to her best form, and credited Miss Buckley and Mr. Bladon with another stake. It has come to be accepted as a truism with coursers that once Mr. Bladon has a dog in a final he is pretty certain to win. Their last course is very frequently their best one, as it should be, and this was undoubtedly the case with Beeline.

The Impromptu Stakes fell to Corinthe, who led Turf by three lengths, and did all the subsequent scoring. Appended are the details:—

N.S.W. CHAMPION CUP, for 32, all ages, at 2 guineas each; winner £30 and trophy (presented by the vice-presidents), runner-up £15, two dogs £6 each, four dogs £2 10s each.

Third Ties.

Majestic beat Rower Harriet beat Atlanta.

Deciding Course.

Mr. R. Coombes ns (N.C.A.) r and wd Majestic, by Goldsmith—Flora, beat Mr. F. O. Kenyon's (M.V.C.C.) bk b Harriet, by Confidence—Henrietta.

N.S.W. ST. LEGER, for 32 puppies at £2 2s each; winner £30, runner-up £15, two dogs £6 each, four dogs £2 10s each.

Third Ties.

Satinette beat Buffalo Bill Clarence Mangan beat Waxy.

Deciding Course.

Mr. R. Stahl's (S.C.C.) bk and w b Satinette, October, 1899, by Black Douglas—Leeso, beat Mr. J. Murray ns (B.P.C.C.) f and w d Clarence Mangan, September, 1899, by Lindsay Gordon—Misty Morn.

LADIES' BRACELET STAKES, for 32, all ages, at £2 2s each; winner £30, runner-up £15, two dogs £6 each, four dogs £2 10s each.

Second Ties.

Cuckoo beat Misty Rain Beeline beat Gurra

Kanaka a bye.

Third Ties.

Cuckoo beat Kanaka Beeline, a bye

Deciding Course.

Miss Buckley's b r Beeline, b Leopold—Besant, beat Mrs. J. Rowen's r b Cuckoo, by Harold—Nightingale.

IMPROMPTU STAKES, for 8 dogs at £1 1s each; winner £5 5s, runner-up £3 3s.

Major beat Maggie Moore Blink Boy beat Mudgee

Corinthe beat Whisper Low Turf beat Vera.

First Ties.

Corinthe beat Major Turf beat Blink Boy

Deciding Course.

Messrs. Loughnane and Carpenter's (O.C.C.) r b Corinthe, by Gameboy—Lucile, beat Mr. A. Bennett's (O.C.C.) bk and w b Turf, by Artist—Lilian.

PRESENTATION TO MR. COOMBES.

The setting took place last evening at the Metropolitan Hotel, when there was a large attendance, and the prize money and trophies were handed over. Mr. J. Weir, the vice-president, then handed to Mr. R. Coombes a purse of sovereigns and a gold medal suitably inscribed, and in doing so said that followers of the leash felt that the time had now come when they should testify in some material form their acknowledgment of the loyalty to the sport and the good work done for the association by Mr. Coombes, who, in a most disinterested manner, gave nearly the whole of his leisure time to advancing coursing in this State. He had stuck to coursing when it was not so popular as it was to-day, and when true friends were of the highest value. He could say that coursers generally were only too pleased to help the presentation along when once the idea was mooted. Mr. Coombes, in replying, said he liked the sport, and he felt happy in doing all that lay in his power to advance it, and the pleasure of the work was his recompense. Their valuable gift was unsought and unexpected, and he did not know how to thank them for their kindness. The health of Mr. Coombes was drunk with musical honours.

CYCLING.

OPENING OF CYCLE PATH.

This afternoon the Hon. E. W. O'Sullivan, State Minister for Works, will perform the ceremony of opening the Manly to Pittwater 20-mile cycle path. A large gathering of cyclists will be in attendance, all the clubs in Sydney having signified their intention of being present. A procession is to be formed and a start made from Manly at 3.15 p.m. At Greendale, two miles along the path, a halt will be made and speeches delivered. About eight motor cars will figure in the procession, and their presence will add a considerable interest to the display. The condition of the path has been much improved within the past few days. For some distance the loose top dressing that has not had time to consolidate has been raked off, and the surface watered and rolled. This process will be continued throughout the whole length of the path, and should be finished within a fortnight. It was anticipated that the top dressing would have set before the date of opening the path, but this has not proved to be the case. The completion of the Pittwater cycle path is an event of importance in the history of cycling in New South Wales, and on all sides a lively interest is being exhibited in to-day's ceremony.

LEAGUE OF WHEELMEN.

A meeting of the council of the league was held at the rooms of the league on Thursday night, when there was a good attendance, and Mr. G. Fowle occupied the chair. A certain member of the league who had been called upon to appear before the council did not do so, and was suspended for life as a member of the league. In connection with the dispute between the Paddington Club and the league, a letter was read from the Paddington Club saying that Messrs. G. Bagnell and H. Brooks had been appointed to wait on the secretary of the league with reference to the matter. Goulburn Club wrote saying that they intended to hold a race meeting on November 9. Molong Club forwarded their programme for sports to be held on November 10, and sanction was granted. Forbes Club notified the council that they would probably hold a race meeting on November 11. White Cliffs Club obtained sanction for races on October 16, and Parkes Club for November 6. The secretary reported that the Victory Club had conformed with the request of the council, and had paid their affiliation fees and forwarded a list of their members. The proposal made at a previous meeting to hold a road race from Goulburn to Sydney for the purpose of selecting a man to represent the league in the Melbourne road race was allowed to drop. The treasurer of the league was instructed to draw up a balance-sheet for the last quarter, and also to prepare a statement showing the estimated income for the remainder of the year.

25 MILES CHAMPIONSHIP.

It has been decided to hold a 25 miles inter-club road championship for clubs affiliated with the Cyclists' Union.

COMMONWEALTH MEDALS.

The medals won at the Commonwealth sports at the beginning of the year are now being distributed. They are large and cannot be worn, being too big and heavy to be attached to a watchchain. They are perfectly round and have been struck from a die.

NARRABRI BICYCLE CLUB.

The executive of the cyclists union have received a letter from the Narrabri Bicycle Club asking for certain information concerning the rules. The club have about 50 members, and it is likely that they will affiliate with the union.

INVITATION HANDICAP.

The men who assisted the cyclist union with the pacing in the recent road championship are to have a handicap to themselves. The executive has decided to invite them to compete in a 5-mile road race to be held on the 31st of this month over the Bunnerong-Maroubra course. There will be two prizes, both open orders, £1 1s and 10s 6d.

OPEN RACES.

A busy time is coming for the Cyclists' Union racing men. It is intended to hold a handicap over two or three miles, which has been put on their programme by the Kennel Club. This will be decided on September 14, at the Agricultural ground. Entries close at the Sports Club on September 7. Prizes for this event are open orders for £5 5s, £2 2s, and £1 1s. Next will be the race meeting of the Newcastle Federal Bicycle Club to be held on the Rugby Ground, Newcastle, on September 21. There are three handicaps—½, 1, and 2 miles, a 1 mile invitation scratch race, and the Five Mile Amateur Championship of New South Wales. The first prize for the 2 miles handicap is a valuable silver cup with an open order for £3 3s added. Then on October 7 the events for Union riders at present decided upon are ½ and 2 miles handicaps, and the one mile Amateur Championship of New South Wales. The prizes for the handicaps are open orders for £5 5s, £2 2s, and £1 1s. In the 2 mile handicap heat winners will receive open orders for 10s, and there will be two open orders for 10s to each heat and the final of the championship for the pacemakers.

MONTHLY RACE MEETINGS.

The executive of the union are endeavouring to complete arrangements which will enable them to hold small race meetings monthly for about £15 or £20 worth of open orders. If they should succeed they will call a meeting of the committees of all the clubs to lay the scheme before them and obtain their co-operation in making the venture a financial success.

FOOTBALL.

Following are the fixtures for to-day:—

FIRST GRADE.

Representative Team v. Next Best Team, Sydney Cricket Ground, 3 p.m. Referee, Mr. A. Brown.

SECOND GRADE.

North Sydney v. Glebe, Sydney Cricket Ground, 2 p.m.

Balmain v. Western Suburbs, Agricultural Ground, 2 p.m.

University v. Eastern Suburbs, Agricultural Ground, 3 p.m.

South Sydney, a bye.

THIRD GRADE.

North Sydney v. Glebe, North Sydney Oval.

University v. Eastern Suburbs, Rushcutter Bay.

South Sydney v. Newtown, Erskineville Park.

Balmain, a bye.

In the Schools' Premiership, the Sydney Grammar School defeated the Church of England Grammar School on Wednesday on the Sydney Cricket Ground by 17 points to 5. The S.G.S. forwards were the heavier lot, and had the better both of scrum and loose work. Tries were secured by Close, Hinton, Britton, and Goldfinch, and Eckford kicked two goals. For S.C.E.G.S. Hickson kicked a goal from a try by Reid, and besides these two Taylor and Fenwick also played well.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

The final match of the season in the W.R.F. Union competitions between Wellington and Dubbo is to be played here on the showground on Saturday afternoon. The local team will be selected from the following:—Holt, Smith, Teece, Dempsey, Campbell, Keane, Hendry, Howie, Coady, Veech, Craig, Jennings, T. Smith, Taylor, Quirk, Bruce, O'Brien, and Walsh.

GOLF.

The following have been chosen to represent the Hunter's Hill Club in the match against Wollongong this afternoon:—F. A. Russell, R. D. Fitzgerald, C. T. Metcalfe, W. A. Windeyer, H. R. Lysaght, and N. F. Christoe. Players are requested to be on the ground at 1 p.m.

The following is R.S.G.C. B team chosen to play against the combined Suburban Golf Clubs' B team at Bondi to-day:—E. M. Stephen, E. Scarvell, W. M. Allen, W. K. S. M'Kenzie, J. P. M'Arthur, E. D. Hoben, H. Allen, C. D. Goldie.

ROYAL SYDNEY GOLF CLUB.

The following is the result of the monthly medal competition:—

A Grade.—E. Scarvell, 93—12=81; Dr. G. Warren, 98—17=81.

B Grade.—J. Stawell, 111—18=93; Dr. Taylor Young, 104—7=97.

There were 26 competitors.

LADIES' TOURNAMENT.

On Thursday on the links so kindly placed at the disposal of the Concord Golf Club by Miss Edith Walker, Yaralla, an interesting tournament was held, visitors being present from Dobroyde, Marrickville, Strathfield, and Glasgow. The associate members of the club added to the enjoyment of the afternoon by providing refreshments. The first prize for the approaching and putting competition was won by Miss Trevor Jones, of Marrickville, who also won the driving competition with a drive of 130 yards. Mrs. Richie, of Strathfield, and Miss Margaret Osborn, of Glasgow, tied for first place in the putting competition, the latter winning on the play off. There were 29 competitors.

The following will be played to-day:—

Hunter's Hill v. Wollongong, at Hunter's Hill.

Australian Club.—To day the second round will be competed for the club championship, and the draw for the third round will be made in the evening.

Royal S.G.C. v. Combined Suburban B teams, at Bondi.

BOWLS.

NEWTOWN CLUB.

Although the old Newtown Club is still in existence, yet as a club it has for several seasons ceased to be connected with the New South Wales Bowling Association and practically has suspended operations. However, a movement is on foot to resuscitate the club and to give it that prominence in the bowling world that it once enjoyed. With a view to carrying this into effect Mr. J. H. Evans Booker, one of the vice-presidents, on Wednesday evening invited a number of gentlemen to partake of a leg-of-mutton supper at the club's pavilion, Erskineville-road. About 25 gentlemen accepted the invitation, while apologies were received from a number who were unable to be present, owing to their being victims to the prevailing influenza epidemic. Those present included several members of Parliament and also leading bowlers. After dinner a toast list was gone through. Mr. Booker presided, and proposed the usual loyal toasts, which were honoured with enthusiasm.

Captain Chuck proposed "Kindred Bowling Clubs," to which toast Mr. J. Fallick, M.L.A., responded.

Mr. Booker submitted the toast "The Parliaments," to which Messrs. R. A. Price, J. Fallick, and R. Hollis, M.L.A., responded.

Mr. J. C. Lane proposed "The Newtown Bowling Club," and Mr. A. T. Fleay (vice-president) responded.

The toast of "The Visitors" was proposed by Mr. Gommeson. Mr. T. Montefiore, an old member of the Newtown Club, but now a resident in Wellington, New Zealand, who is spending a holiday in Sydney, responded; as also did Messrs. J. J. Allen and T. P. Butcher.

Mr. Robert Hollis, M.L.A., proposed the health of the host and chairman (Mr. J. H. Booker). The toast was supported by several of the company.

Mr. Booker responded. He expressed the pleasure it gave him to entertain his old friends and bowlers. It was, he said, the desire of many that the Newtown Club would once more become affiliated with the N.S.W. Bowling Association. As the club had an excellent green, centrally situated, and every accommodation, he sincerely hoped it would soon be restored to the proud position it occupied prior to its little troubles two or three years ago. (Applause.) As far as he was concerned he would do all in his power to bring such a state of matters into existence, and he felt certain he would receive the support of all concerned. (Applause.) He thanked the company for their presence, and for the kind remarks they had been pleased to make on his behalf.

Several other toasts were honoured, and a musical programme was gone through. The company dispersed about 11 o'clock, having spent an enjoyable evening.

VICTORIA PARK v. PETERSHAM.

Victoria Park bowlers will this afternoon be visitors at the Petersham green, and will play a match with the local representatives. The following have been chosen to play for Victoria Park:—Messrs. Dolman, Griffiths, Law, Willings, M'Kenzie, M'Causland, Bennerman, Fallick, Rigg, Dunshea, Hardy, Hirst, Taff, Captain Messell, Clarke, Wiseman, Segal, Bradbury, J. E. Lee, and Byrne.

REDFERN v. WAVERLEY.

Redfern bowlers will journey to Waverley this afternoon to play their return match with the Waverley Club. The following will represent Redfern: Williams, Gordon, Grierson, Roberts (captain); Danks, Caddy, Grills, Mabell (captain); Parry, Isaacs, A. W. Clark, T. Clarke (captain); Hall, Leitch, Gorton, Parker (captain).

ANNANDALE CLUB.

A four-bowl handicap of 31 points up is being contested by the members of the Annandale Bowling Club for trophies valued at £3 3s, £1 10s, and 15s. Following are the results of the first round, which was completed on Thursday:—

S. H. Abrams (2 points behind scratch) defeated W. Upton (2 behind) by 33 points to 18.

J. M'Laughlin (2 behind) defeated E. M'Laughlin (10) by forfeit.

J. Gibbs (2 behind) defeated T. Higgin (5) by 33 points to 21.

J. Taylor (8) defeated Seymour (5) by 31 points to 26.

Waring (scratch) defeated Bentley (10) by 31 points to 16.

G. Smith (8) defeated Brabant (5) by forfeit.

Sullivan (5) defeated Dr. M'Ilroy by forfeit.

Renwick received a bye.

LAWN TENNIS.

BADGE COMPETITIONS.

The final of the A Class Interclub Badge competitions will be played to-day, when Sydney No. 1 meet Glen Rooms. Neutral courts not being available, the match, which should prove a good contest, is set down for the Sydney Cricket Ground.

The following are to-day's fixtures:—

Class A.—Final: Sydney No. 1 v. Glen Rooms, at Sydney Cricket Ground.

Class B.—Ashfield v. Wahgunyah No. 1, Kuring-gai v. North Sydney, Waverley v. Strathfield No. 2, Strathfield No. 1 v. Manly, Wahgunyah No. 2 v. Stanmore Institute, University No. 2 v. Neutral Bay, University No. 1 a bye.

Class C.—University v. Strathfield, Victoria Park No. 1 v. Waverley, Sydney Grammar School v. Kuring-gai, Summer Hill v. Victoria Park No. 2, Wahgunyah v. North Petersham, Centennial a bye.

Class D.—Epping v. University, Stanmore Institute v. Liverpool, Strathfield a bye.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

A tennis match was played on the local courts on Wednesday between teams representing the town and the district. The sets were well contested, the town representatives winning by the narrow margin of six games.

LACROSSE.

The following matches are set down to be played to-day:—

A DIVISION.

University v. Newtown, University-square.

Balmain v. Wentworth, Redfern Oval, 2.15.

Glebe receives a forfeit from Granville Mohicans.

North Sydney a bye.

B DIVISION.

Balmain v. Glebe, Alexandria Oval.

Burwood v. Newtown, Burwood.

St. Stephen's v. North Sydney, Redfern, 3 p.m.

Mr. W. Morison has been appointed to the position of manager of the Dominion Milling Company, Brisbane. In lacrosse circles Mr. Morison will be missed, where he has been a prominent figure for the past 10 years, having occupied the position of secretary to the New South Wales Association from 1891-4 and 1897-9. The inter-state conference between South Australia, Victoria, and New South Wales honoured Mr. Morison with the position of organising secretary of the international movement, the object being to bring an All Canada team to Australia, negotiations for which are still in progress. In inter-state matches Mr. Morison represented New South Wales seven times. Mr. Morison leaves Sydney about November 1.

BASEBALL.

The following second-grade engagements will be played to-day:—

Petersham II. v. Auburn, at Auburn. Mr. R. Callaway, umpire.

Leichhardt, a bye.

ATHLETICS.

The monthly council meeting of the New South Wales Amateur Athletic Association was held on Thursday night, Mr. R. Coombes presiding. It was resolved,—"That it be a special recommendation of this council that officials conducting sports or races pay particular attention to the practice, now too common in competitions, of competitors running inside the flags in races, and it is requested that any competitor so offending be not only dealt with by the referee in accordance with the rules, but also reported to the next meeting of the council."

BILLIARDS.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Last night, at the Sports Club, the final stage of the above championship was entered upon, when W. Lyons, of Tattersall's Club, met H. A. Rumball, of Tattersall's Club. Rumball was in very fine form, scoring rapidly and consistently, but his opponent was slow in starting. At the half-time adjournment the scores stood: Rumball 342 to Lyons 140. Included in Rumball's total was a prettily compiled 91, the highest break of the tournament, beating his own best of 80, while Lyons's best effort was 15. On resuming Rumball scored the more rapidly, the game reading: Rumball 442 to Lyons 298, with a total of 63 sticks. Play for the evening ceased with Rumball at 502 to Lyons 307. The game will be finished this evening.

CITY TATTERSALL'S TOURNAMENT.

The above tournament was continued last night, when W. Edwards (receives 110) beat E. Moss (receives 85) by 54. Play will be resumed on Monday night with the following heats:—R. Eaton (owes 25) v. M. O'Brien (receives 145) and J. Corrigan (receives 125) v. W. Mitchell (receives 90).

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Lighting Rates	852 13 5	
Street Watering Rates	24 7 2	
Fees for Removal of Nightsoil	105 4 7	
Subscriptions	131 10 4	
Opening Footpath Deposits	84 12 6	
Building and Fencing Fees	14 0 0	
Hire of Hall	143 6 11	
Public Park Account	77 10 0	
Fines and Sundries	207 1 11	
		£4,925 10 9
Outstanding Cheques		375 2 6
		£5,300 13 3

	£ s d	£ s d
1901.—February 4.—By Overdraft at Bank		£49 18 5
By Improvements	£1,687 19 6	
Street Lighting	1,071 11 1	
Removal of Nightsoil	111 11 5	
Park Improvements	60 18 3	
Removal of House Refuse	208 0 0	
Incineration of House Refuse	197 4 9	
Scavenging	145 10 3	
Interest	334 11 0	
Salaries and Allowances	349 15 0	
Fire Brigades Board	116 19 4	
Working Plant	22 7 11	
Refunds, Deposits, &c.	57 16 4	
Postages, &c.	28 10 0	
Printing, Stationery, Advertising, &c.	58 3 4	
Valuing, Auditing, and Miscellaneous	88 10 7	
Town Hall Expenses	86 11 0	
Petty cash and sundries	84 14 10	
		4,657 7 7
Cash in hand		85 1 5
Balance in Bank		508 6 1
		£5,300 13 3

I certify the above account to be correct, and to correspond with the books of account and vouchers or other documents in support thereof in possession of the Council of the borough of Petersham. HENRY DAVIS, Mayor.

We certify that all books of account and vouchers or other documents in support thereof in possession of the Council of the Borough of Petersham have been exhibited to us, and that the above statement corresponds with such books of account, and is correct. GEO. B. GOUGH, SAM. GELDING, Auditors.

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Plans, &c., may be seen at my office, and tenders sent in on the 28th of August. T. W. HODGSON, Architect, Bull's-chambers, 14 Moore-street, city.

TENDERS for Rubble Foundations, Western Suburbs Cottage Hospital, Croydon. One of the committee will be on the ground on Saturday from 2.30 to 4.30 to point out the work. All information can be obtained by applying to the Gardener.
Close MONDAY, 19th instant, at 10 a.m.

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TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of Cottage, Inverness-avenue, Penshurst. Plans and specifications may be seen at the residence of
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Legal Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES,
IN BANKRUPTCY.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ACCOUNTS with Plans of Distribution in the undermentioned Estates, showing dividends as specified, are now filed in the office of the Registrar in Bankruptcy, Citizens'-chambers, Moore-street, Sydney, for the inspection of persons interested; and Notice is hereby given that such accounts and Plans will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on TUESDAY, the 3rd September, 1901, at 11 a.m., if not previously objected to:—
FREDERICK READ, of Hastings River, Farmer (No. 6578), a seventh account and fifth plan of distribution showing payment of a dividend of 6s (six shillings) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.
ALBERT HENRY BRYANT, of Wallerawang, Butcher (No. 14,622), a first account and plan of distribution showing payment of £4 5s 9d for rent, and a dividend of 3s 7d (three shillings and seven pence) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.
EDWARD CHIPPENDALL, of Randwick, Horse Trainer (No. 10,314), a second account and first plan of distribution showing payment of a dividend of 20s (twenty shillings) in the £ on one claim for rent (£20), and 1s 10¼d (one shilling and ten pence farthing) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.
THOMAS JERVIS BUCK, of Goulburn, Draper (No. 11,001), a third account and plan of distribution showing payment of a third dividend of 8⅝d (eight pence and five eighths of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.
GEORGE MUDIE LARNACH, of Paddington, Agent (No. 13,880), a second account and first plan of distribution showing payment of a first dividend of 7-12ths (seven-twelfths of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.
AUGUSTINE MATTHEW IBBETTS, of Goulburn, Solicitor (No. 8402), a third account and second plan of distribution showing payment of a second dividend of 3-16ths (three-sixteenths of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.

Also in the following Estates, accounts current only, showing debit balances:—
No. 14,634. CHARLES GEORGE NEWBERRY, of Alexandria, Wood and Coal Dealer.
No. 14,617. WILLIAM SPROULE, of Surry Hills, Contractor.
No. 14,472. EDWARD ROTHBURY HOPE, of Moree, Painter.
No. 14,478. JOHN ALLAN O'NEILL, of Darlington, Journalist.
No. 14,627. EMMELINE SOPHIA FOXE, of Narrabri, Fruiterer, &c.
No. 14,631. LACHLAN and HECTOR M'LEAN, trading as L. and H. M'Lean, of Mount M'Lean, near Taralga, Graziers. (Joint Estate).
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No. 14,631. HECTOR M'LEAN. (Separate Estate).
No. 14,643. PHILIP WRIGHTER, of Belaro, near Cobbora, Labourer.
No. 14,646. ALBERT GEORGE MICHAEL, of Burwood, Labourer.
No. 14,650. PETER THURSON, of Good Good, near Cooma, Labourer.
No. 14,669. JOHN PURCELL, of Broken Hill, Labourer.
No. 14,662. THOMAS HENRY PERROTT, of Broken Hill, Engineer.
LANCELOT T. LLOYD,
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182 Phillip-street, Sydney,
15th August, 1901.

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WILLIAM JAMES JACKSON, of 98 New Canterbury-road, Marrickville, Grocer (No. 14,658), a first account and plan of distribution showing payment of a dividend of 2s ⅝d (two shillings and five-eighths of a penny) in the £ on all proved concurrent debts.
GEORGE DENNIS KNIGHT, of Lansdowne, Manning River, Road Contractor (No. 14,671), a first account and plan of distribution showing payment of a dividend of 12s 11d (twelve shillings and eleven pence) in the £ to two preferential creditors only.

Also, Accounts current only in the undermentioned Estates:—
4,176. MARY BOWMAN, of Clarendon.
14,656. MICHAEL and MATTHIAS M'NAMARA, of Lismore.
14,677. JOHN WILLARD, of Hunter's Hill.
WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER,
Official Assignee.
47 Elizabeth-street, Sydney,
15th August, 1901.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of HIRAM HOWARD, late of Lincoln-street, Stanmore, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Municipal Employee, deceased, intestate.—NOTICE is hereby given that the First Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the twenty-fourth day of September next, at 10.45 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit, object thereto; otherwise, if the said Accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this thirteenth day of August, A.D. 1901. (Sgd.) T. W. GARRETT, Registrar. FITZHARDINGE, SON, and HOUSTON, Proctors for the Administratrix, 62 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ELIZA BAKER, late of Rydal, near Bathurst, in the State of New South Wales, Feme Covert, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the sixteenth day of September, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto, otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this fifteenth day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and one. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar. J. J. BREDER, Proctor for the Executor, 52 Elizabeth street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM THOMAS, late of Forbes, in the State of New South Wales, Storekeeper, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Fourth Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office, on or before the eleventh day of September next, at 11.45 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court Commission will be applied for on behalf of the Executrix and Executor. Dated this 16th day of August, in the year 1901. T. W. GARRETT (L.S.), Registrar.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JOHN MARTIN BYRNE, late of Clarendon, near Balranald, in the State of New South Wales, Homestead Lessee, deceased, intestate. Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to PETER BYRNE, the father of the said deceased, and all Creditors of the deceased are requested to send in notice of their claims to the applicant at the office of the Proctors for the applicant; and all notices may be served at the same office. Dated this sixteenth day of August, 1901. ABBOTT and ALLEN, Proctors for the Applicant, 14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—TAKE NOTICE that I, FITZROY SOMERSET STACY, of 21 The Avenue, Newtown, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, lately serving under Articles of Clerkship to Archibald George Yeatman Shaw, of 121 Pitt-street, Sydney, aforesaid, do intend, on the last day of the present Term, to apply to be admitted as an ATTORNEY, SOLICITOR, and PROCTOR of this Honorable Court. Dated this 15th day of August, 1901.
FITZROY S. STACY.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate and Effects of THOMAS HUSSEY KELLY, late of O'Connell-street, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Merchant, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills, Probate, and Administration Act 1898, NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died at Glenyarrah, Double Bay, on 25th July, 1901, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims and demands upon the said Estate to the PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited, 2 Spring-street, Sydney, the Executors and Trustees of the said Estate, to whom Probate was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, on 16th August, 1901, on or before the twenty-seventh day of September next, in default whereof the said Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited, will after the lastmentioned date, proceed to administer the Estate and distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have notice, and the said Company will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this sixteenth day of August, 1901. For PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited, A. J. MACKENZIE, Manager. Mr. JOSEPH THOMPSON, Proctor.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicil of JAMES SUTHERLAND, late of Number One Hundred and Seventeen Rathdown-street, Carlton, in the State of Victoria, Gentleman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that the probate granted in the State of Victoria in respect of the above Estate may be sealed with the seal of this Court, and creditors are hereby required to send in notice of their claims to the applicants; and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. DIBBS and PARKER, Proctors for Applicants, 92 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM M'RITCHIE, late of Pyrmont, in the State of New South Wales, Marine Board Surveyor, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN WHITE, ARTHUR JOHN M'RITCHIE, and ROBERT WHITE M'RITCHIE, the Executors named in the said will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. H. J. WOLSTENHOLME, Proctor for Executors, 6 Rowe-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JANE KYLE, late of Bloomsberry Villa, Pearl-street, Newtown, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Wife of JAMES KYLE, of the same place, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to GEORGE WILLIAM ENFIELD, the Executor named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. CURTISS and BARRY, Proctors for the Executor, 167 King-street, Sydney.

IN the Estate of THOMAS BRYANT, sometimes known as THOMAS BRYANT PINNEY, late of Latrobe Terrace, Geelong, and formerly of Bairnsdale, Victoria, Confectioner, deceased, intestate.—The National Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company of Australasia, Limited, of 464 Collins-street, Melbourne, the Administrator of the said estate, invites application from persons claiming to be next of kin of the abovenamed deceased, or claiming to be entitled to any share of the said estate. Any information as to the family history of the said deceased will be thankfully received by the said company at the aforesaid address, or by the undersigned.
DOYLE and PICKEN, The Exchange, Market-square, Geelong, Solicitors to the said Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debts or claims upon or affecting the Estate of MARGARET JANE GIBSON, late of near Finley, in the State of New South Wales, Spinster, who died on the seventh day of January, 1901, and Probate of whose will was on the eighth day of March, 1901, granted to SUSAN BAILEY HAMILTON and WILLIAM GIBSON, the Executrix and Executor named therein, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims to the Executrix and Executor, care of the undersigned, on or before the tenth day of October next, at the expiration of which time the Executrix and Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which they shall then have notice, and the said Executrix and Executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice of at the time of such distribution. Dated this twelfth day of August, 1901. ALEXANDER and WINDEYER, Proctors, Deniliquin.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—TAKE NOTICE that I, GEORGE SAMUEL EVANS DALE the Younger, residing at Manara, Narrabri, in the State of New South Wales, lately serving under Articles of Clerkship to GEORGE SAMUEL EVANS DALE the Elder, of Narrabri, in the State aforesaid, Attorney, Solicitor, and Proctor, do intend to apply on the last day of the present Term to be admitted as an Attorney, Solicitor, and Proctor of this Honourable Court. Dated this fourteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and one.
G. S. E. DALE, Jun.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—TAKE NOTICE that I, WALTER DICKSON, of The Laurels, Abbotsford-road, Homebush, lately serving under Articles of Clerkship to THOMAS JAMES DICKSON, of 127 King-street, Sydney, Solicitor, intend to apply on the last day of the present Term to be admitted as an Attorney, Solicitor, and Proctor of this Honourable Court. Dated this 14th day of August, A.D. 1901.
WALTER DICKSON.

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7 Staunch Horses, in good hard condition; two Omnibuses (one is a Yankee, with staircase), licensed, and Harness, in good order.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
To Brewers, Millers, Heavy Carriers, Contractors, Shippers, and others.
CAMPERDOWN SALEYARDS.
TUESDAY NEXT, at 2.30 p.m.
MAGNIFICENT HEAVY DRAUGHTS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above,
On account Messrs. T. and W. D. MOXHAM:
30 Magnificent Heavy and Powerful Draught Horses, 4 and 5 years old, in the pink of condition, principally unbroken.
On account Mr. M. M'DONNELL, Northern District:
25 Really Grand Extra Heavy Draught Horses, 4 to 6 years old, in splendid condition, all broken.
THE ABOVE ARE A HIGH-CLASS LOT OF GOOD QUALITY DRAUGHT HORSES, ALL BIG AND POWERFUL ANIMALS, WORTHY THE SPECIAL ATTENTION OF BREWERS, MILLERS, HEAVY CARRIERS, SHIPPERS, AND OTHERS.
. Among the number are two or three pairs of well-matched heavy lorry horses.

TO DAIRYMEN AND OTHERS.
10 First-class MILCH COWS, HORSE, CART, and HARNESS, and MILK RUN.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. F. CAMPBELL, to sell by auction, on the Premises, Union-street, Petersham, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, at 3 o'clock,
10 First-class Cows, in full milk; reliable Horse, Springcart, and Harness; also, Run (170 good customers); also, good Van Mare, a splendid worker.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN SALEYARDS.
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 2.30.
36 VERY SUPERIOR HORSES, 36
comprising
Upstanding Harness Horses and Hackneys,
also Heavy and Medium Draughts.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction as above.
On account WESTERN AGENTS, Bathurst:
12 Upstanding, Well-bred Light Harness and Saddle Horses, all good ages, possessing strength and substance, principally broken, and including several suitable for military work.
. Among the consignment are some well-bred Horses by FOREST KING and LORD HAROLD.
On account Mr. WILLIAM CROOM, Mudgee:
12 First-class Country Horses, consisting of good quality Light Harness and Saddle Horses and a few Merchants' Van Sorts, all in good condition, broken in.
On account of Mr. C. HADE, Newbridge.
12 Heavy and Medium Draught Horses, 4 to 6 years old, all thoroughly broken in, staunch workers, suitable for BREWERS' or HEAVY CARRIERS' work.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN SALEYARDS.
FRIDAY NEXT, at 2.30 p.m.
FIFTY HEAD.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, as above.
On account Mr. JAS. TULLOCK, Leighton Park, Scone:
40 High-class Horses, comprising Heavy and Medium Draughts and good upstanding Light Harness and Hackney descriptions, principally broken in.
. These are described as a really good lot.
On account SOUTHERN AGENTS, Hay:
10 upstanding good quality Light Horses, with substance, suitable for gent.'s buggy or hackney work, all in splendid condition.

THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.—LEAN will sell by auction, at their Rooms, Petersham Arcade, Large Quantity of Dress Material, Shirts, Flannels, Socks from the late fire, sundries. No Reserve.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Redfern Station, THIS DAY, at 9.15,
Hay, Straw, Chaff, Maize, Pumpkins, Potatoes.
DENT and PERRY, Auctioneers, 151 Sussex-street.

STRAIGHT TO THE POINT.—We can test your eyes and supply suitable SPECTACLES. We know our business thoroughly. OSBORN and JERDAN ("My Opticians"), 393 George-street (late Frost and Shipham).

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY,
29th, 30th, and 31st AUGUST.
AT TATTERSALL'S HORSE BAZAAR,
TOOWOOMBA,
at 10 o'clock EACH DAY.
500 HEAD OF HORSES,
OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.
HACKS, REMOUNTS, COBS,
GUNNERS, BOUNDERS,
and HEAVY DRAUGHTS.
T. G. ROBINSON AND CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, TOOWOOMBA.

SPECIAL SALE OF HORSES, &c., THIS DAY.
H. PRESCOTT and CO. will sell by auction at their Bazaar, 181 Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 11.30 a.m. sharp,
3 Sets of New Cab Harness, 2 Draught Horses, 2 Light Harness Horses, 1 grey Pony, Sulky, and Harness, 1 very fast Trotting Mare; also, Vans, Sulkies, Buggies, Harness, &c.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
MUSWELLBROOK YARDS.
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21st, at 10 a.m.
EDWARD HIGGENS (for HILL, CLARK, and CO.) will sell, on above date,
100 HEAD HORSES,
comprising
Indian Remounts and Gunners, South African sorts, and a few medium Draughts and Sulky Ponies.

J. P. LISTER will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 247 Pitt-street, on MONDAY and TUESDAY, August 26th and 27th, 1901, the UNREDEEMED PLEDGES pawned with Mr. William Scott, Oxford Loan Office, 15 Flinders-street, on dates specified as under:—
1900—November—1st, gold chain, bracelet, and p'lock; 2nd, mandoline, gold hunting keyless waltham watch 5591390, pr gold-mtd specs; 3rd, drawing instruments in case; 9th, banjo; 10th, pearl brooch and earrings in case, gold chain, bracelet, and p'lock, long gold chain, opal ring, gold bracelet in case; 15th, gold chain and locket, gold bracelet and p'lock, silver h waltham watch 1647069, gold albert and locket; 17th, gold sapphire ring and buckle, ring, carving knife, fork and steel, 6 forks, 9 spoons and 8 knives; 19th, p gold earrings, silver mug, gold brooch, gold case of watch 10168, small marble clock; 20th, silver h l Rotherham watch 53488 (front case def.); 21st, diamond and stone ring, wedding ring and keeper, gold o f p lever watch 78310; 22nd, diamond and stone ring; 23rd, pr gold links and 3 studs, gold albert and locket, gold nugget brooch and pin in case, gold nugget, gold fancy bangle, gold wedding ring; 24th, metal butter dish, gold chain, gold chain, bracelet and p'lock, gold bangle, gold brooch, silver h geneva watch 76466, diamond spark ring in case, gold nugget pin, silver h American watch 2083379, 3 gold pin brooches in case, 7 silver spoons, 7 plated spoons, 9 forks and sugar tongs, silver h geneva watch 13241, pair gold links, gold bangle in case, gold wed ring and buckle ring, silver h geneva watch 55616, sov purse, bangle, 4 studs, links, &c., diamond spark pin, gold chain bracelet and p'lock, gold chain bracelet and p'lock, gold fancy ring; 6th, gold o f geneva watch 57245, diamond and sapphire ring in case, gold h k geneva watch 83881, Masonic emblem, 2 brooches, coin, and sapphire ring in case; 27th, gold bracelet, chain bracelet and coin, o o diamond and stone brooch; 28th, silver h geneva watch 85025 and gold chain; 30th, gold h k waltham watch 643281. December—1st, silver h k waltham watch 552013, silver o f waltham watch 973548; 3rd, gold o f geneva watch 7879; 6th, silver h lever watch 42778, gold stone ring; 7th, gold bangle brooch in case, gold band ring, "Frank," "Maggie;" 8th, gold brooch and ring; 12th, silver h k geneva watch 58370; 14th, silver h lever Rotherham watch 103623; 15th, metal cruet, carving knife and fork; 17th, silver h lever watch 4941, gold stone ring; 19th, gold o f k geneva watch 108084-195684; 20th, pr mtd specs in case; 21st, banjo, silver h k geneva watch 81979 "JB," gold albert, gold band ring "Arthur," diamond and opal brooch; 22nd, gold h geneva watch 61977, rolled gold sigle watch 8216941 and chain, gold chain bracelet and p'lock in case; 26th, gold h k geneva watch 16774 in case; 28th, silver cardcase in case "A.M.Mc." April—13th, gold chain bracelet and p'lock, silver o f geneva watch 38884, albert and locket; 24th, gold h e l watch 14875, silver h k geneva watch 938884 and albert, silver o f lever watch 21623, butterdish and sugar basin, diamond and stone bangle and 2 gold lockets; 31st, moonstone necklet in case.
1901—January 2nd, pr field glasses in case; 3rd, gold ring, gold fob chain, diamond buckle ring, diamond and pearl ring, gold d h geneva watch 1836, albert and locket in case; 4th, petticoat, bedgown and 10 pieces; 5th, gold ring; 7th, gold ring with nugget "G.S.E.S," diamond bangle in case, gold opal bangle, gold brooch in case, diamond and ruby bracelet in case; 8th, silver h geneva watch 36484, 2 gold brooches "Maud;" 9th, gold o f geneva watch 80031 and chain, gold band ring and diamond and stone ring, F.L.A.T.; 10th, gold fob chain, suit clothes; 11th, gold bangle, 7 sheets; 12th, sac coat and vest, silver h k Waltham watch 2200010, silver h Waltham watch 2428834; 14th, gold h k geneva watch 63510, fob chain, brooch, 2 pr earrings in box; 15th, 4 white petticoats, gold wedding ring, gold albert, pr aluminium field-glasses, solid chain and locket; 16th, sac coat and vest; 17th, mug, knife, fork, spoon, metal fork and spoon in case, "J.H." o.f.k. geneva watch 149898, gold stone ring, gold necklet, pearl and diamond pendant; 18th, 4 gold studs and nugget pin, gold chain, bracelet and clock, gold buckle ring "W.E.C." gold h geneva watch 588, gold stone ring and gold ring; 19th, gold wedding ring, gold wedding ring, gold stone ring, violin and bow in case; 21st, silver h lever watch 7264, gold stone ring; 22nd, long gold chain, gold albert; 23rd, gold albert, locket and silver matchbox, single stone diamond ring and stone ring, gold chain bracelet and plock in case; 24th, silver h lever watch 41470, gold chain bracelet and plock, silver h lever Rotherham watch 9061; 25th, silk skirt and 2 remnants silk, basket, silk skirt and jacket; 26th, gold bracelet in case, silver h lever watch 51459, silver h lever Rotherham watch 41102 silver h lever watch 74631, gold ring, 4 silver coins, &c; 28th, gold fancy ring in case, diamond ring in case, silver h h g lever watch 136289-136219, cornet in case, silver h k Waltham watch 2700670, parasol and gold brooch; 29th, gold h lever watch "J.L." 26067, pair gold solitaires "Alice," plated cruet, toast-rack, butter-dish, &c.; 30th, gold stone ring, stone ring "Ada;" 31st, waterproof cape. February—1st, skirt, jacket, 3 chemises, and 6 pieces; 5th, 2 remnants serge; 12th, cloth overcoat; 13th, pr. trousers; 18th, table-cloth, bedgown, and 5 pieces; 21st lady's robe; 22nd, fancy dress, 2 boxes, &c.; 23rd, lady's wrapper, 4 jackets, remnant lace and 10 pieces, lady's macintosh, baby robe and 5 pieces; 26th, dresspiece; 28th, skirt and jacket. March—4th, 2 pairs trousers and pyjama suit; 8th, remnant lustre and lining; 13th, remnant calico; 16th, 5 quilts; 19th, waterproof cape; 26th, suit clothes, waterproof cape, skirt, coat, 3 pairs trousers, and 22 pieces; 27th, suit clothes. Also pledges 5s and under; also pledges kept from previous sales on which no interest has been paid.

IN THE DECEASED ESTATE OF F. GREEN.
BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS.
MONDAY NEXT, AUGUST 19th, at 11 a.m.
At the Rooms,
182 REDFERN-STREET, REDFERN,
Removed from Athol Park for Convenience of Sale.
WALNUT UPRIGHT PIANOFORTE, Herman Schroeder
WALNUT SIDEBOARD, Bev. P.G. Back
DRAWING and DINING ROOM SUITES
Valuable E.P. Ware, Ornaments, Glassware
CARPETS, LINOLEUMS, MARBLE CLOCK, OVERMANTELS
WALNUT BOOKCASE, AUSTRIAN FURNITURE
RATTAN FURNITURE, BOOKS, PERIODICALS
Massive Brass-mounted BEDSTEADS and Hangings
WALNUT BEDROOM SUITES, Duchesse Pairs
Combination and other Chests of Drawers
Walnut Dining and other TABLES, Eureka Gas Stove
HOUSEHOLD and LAUNDRY UTENSILS.
Also, on Account of Mortgagees,
Quantity of Useful HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
PONY, SULKY, and HARNESS, in first-class order, very quiet, and has been driven by lady.
. A superior first-class lot.
PONY, SULKY, and HARNESS
HORSE, CART, and HARNESS.

BARNARD AND CO.
(in conjunction with MEDCALF and VAUGHAN)
will sell, as above,
POSITIVELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
Auctioneers' Offices, 74 Castlereagh-street.

THIS DAY, AUGUST 17th, at 10.30 a.m.
At the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 Pitt-street.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
TWO WRIGHT'S EUREKA GAS STOVES, in good order; a very large quantity of Dining-room, Bedroom, and Kitchen Requisites, Counter and Fittings, Boards; a lot of Useful Sundries, Pictures, Ornaments, Crockery, Cooking Utensils, &c.
A. G. JENKINS
will sell as above THIS MORNING.

MONDAY, AUGUST 19th, at 11 a.m.
IMPORTANT NOTICE TO OIL MERCHANTS, OIL REFINERS, and Others.
On the Premises, KENT-STREET, near King-street.
Under instructions from the Reliance Oil Company.
A. G. JENKINS
will sell by auction the Very Complete DISTILLING PLANT of the above Company as now on the Premises, including
Iron Still in Brick Furnace, Flow Pipe, Lead Coil, Condenser Tank, in full working order.
Also, Skip Grease, Soft Soap and Refining Pans, Cooling Vats, Stock Tanks, Chain Hoists, Avery's 6cwt. Weighing Machine, Office Table and Pigeon Holes, Copying Press, Office Chair, Counter, Desk and Partition, Exhibition Oil, Show Stand, and Sample Bottles.
Also, a large quantity of Sundries necessary for the working of the business.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
FIRST-CLASS BUILDING MATERIALS.
Demolition of Four Dwelling-houses.
SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
TUESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 20, at 11 o'clock.
Corner DRUITT and CLARENCE STREETS, CITY.
30,000 A1 Full-size BRICKS
1600 SLATES, 20 x 10 Bangor
10,000ft. Joists, Rafters, Wall Plates
Flooring, Lining, Skirting, Architraves
Box Frames, Sashes, Panel Doors, Grates, W.C. Cisterns
150 Sheets Tip-top IRON, &c., &c.
A. BARNETT
has received instructions from the Contractor to sell, as above. WITHOUT RESERVE.

AT 11.30 A.M.
GUILLE and CO. will auction, unreserved, at 56 Station-street, Newtown, account E. Kevin, Esq., Household furniture, half-tester bedsteads, toilet pair, sideboard, overmantel, marble clock, ornaments, crockery, linoleum, gas griller, and usual kitchen fur. Terms, cash.

MONDAY NEXT at 12 SHARP.
MARRICKVILLE. MARRICKVILLE.
On the Premises, No. 2 PARK-ROAD, off Sydenham-road, close to Norwood Park.
General HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
including
CHINA, GLASSWARE, &c., Very Old SHEFFIELD PLATEDWARE, Solid SILVER Toast Rack and Case Dish, Cruet, &c., Mahogany DINING TABLE (extension), Clocks, Ornaments, Mirrors, Carpets, Linoleums, Hall Stand,
and
CONTENTS OF SEVERAL BEDROOMS.
Garden Hose, Plants, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, &c.
C. W. MADDOCK and CO. have received instructions from Mrs. LAMERTON (on account of her departure for the country) to sell, Without Reserve, as above.
TERMS, CASH.
N.B.—TAKE MARRICKVILLE TRAM to SYDENHAM-ROAD, or COACH from PETERSHAM STATION. The well-built Villa Residence is to Let.

PADDINGTON. PADDINGTON.
TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST.
On the Premises,
ROYAL HOTEL, GLENMORE-ROAD,
PADDINGTON.
Under instructions from J. J. BARNETT, Esq.
THE WHOLE OF THE FURNITURE and Effects, including Pianofortes and Billiard Table and Fittings and Contents of
Thirty Rooms (fully furnished).
Also,
THE ELEGANT UP-TO-DATE BAR FITTINGS AND APPURTENANCES.
The BILLIARD TABLE is by ALCOCK, with all Accessories.
THE BEDROOMS are all well-furnished, and a Grand Chance for those Re-furnishing.
C. W. MADDOCK AND CO.
have received instructions from J. J. BARNETT, Esq., to conduct this important Sale, as above.
TERMS, CASH.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT
to
PICTURE CONNOISSEURS, ART COLLECTORS,
and
LADIES and GENTLEMEN
furnishing or embellishing their homes.
UNIQUE SERIES OF ART SALES
EARLY IN SEPTEMBER,
at
THE NEW ART SALEROOMS
of
WALTER BRADLEY and CO.,
324 GEORGE-STREET,
of a
SPECIALLY SELECTED CONSIGNMENT
of
WEST-END ARTISTIC FURNITURE
for the Drawing and Dining Room,
Library and Bedroom.
EXQUISITE PARISIAN FURNITURE,
in Buhl Ormulu, Marqueterie, inlaid in Louis XV. and XVI. styles,
of the very best workmanship.
FINEST QUALITY FRENCH BRONZES,
reproductions of well-known classical subjects.
CHOICE PORCELAIN from the FACTORIES of DRESDEN, SEVRES, and WORCESTER.
Also,
COLLECTION of WATERCOLOURS and OIL PAINTINGS,
including
TWENTY OF THE MOST PROMINENT
Water-colour Drawings
FROM THE ROYAL INSTITUTE
of Painters in Water-colours,
PICCADILLY, LONDON,
by
G. SHERIDAN KNOWLES, R.I., EDWIN HAYES, R.H.A., R.I., YEEND KING, V.P.R.I., A. W. WEEDON, R.I., JOHN SCOTT, R.I., G. STRATTAN FERRIER, R.I., ARTHUR BARRINGTON, R.I., E. DAVIS, R.I., JOHN J. RICHARDSON, R.I., THOS. PYNE, R.I., H. H. WEATHERHEAD, R.I., ALBERT KINGSLEY, R.I., H. CAFFIERI, R.I., JOHN WHITE, R.I., E. WAKE-COOK, GEORGE FOX, GUSTAVE DE BRANSKI, G. BROMLEY,
and the
LATE CHARLES CATTERMOLE, R.I.
The above sales were arranged for by Mr. Bradley during his recent visit to England, where he personally made a selection of the most suitable goods for Australia.
WALTER BRADLEY AND CO.
will conduct the above series of auction sales early in September at their
NEW ART SALEROOMS,
324 GEORGE-STREET.
The Auctioneers would be pleased to forward Catalogues when compiled, and would recommend early application to avoid disappointment.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20.
In Our Rooms,
28 and 30 ELIZABETH-STREET, MELBOURNE.
IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE
of
60 TONS of WESTPHALIAN ROLLED IRON JOISTS.
60 TONS of WESTPHALIAN ROLLED IRON JOISTS.
(To be Sold in Bond.)
Assorted Sizes, from 4in. to 20in.; Lengths, from 18ft. to 40ft.
(At present Stored in Jones's and the Commercial Stores.)
Also,
WEIGHT-BEARING FIRE-PROOF CORRUGATED IRON
(Traegerwellblech)
(about 1300 Square Yards).
No. 1, Varnished and Galvanised; Nos. 2 and 4, Galvanised.
(At Present in Commercial Stores.)
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
To Finally Close Accounts.
PLEASANCE, GRAHAM, and STYLES,
Auctioneers, 2 Elizabeth-street.
Catalogues Ready This Afternoon.
Terms, Cash.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE.
On WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21st,
at 11 o'clock.
On the Premises,
LIVERPOOL-STREET, opposite Central Police Court.
A LARGE QUANTITY OF THE SALVAGE GOODS
from
ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS' FIRE,
Comprising—
COLOURED SILKS, SATINS, PLUSHES, VELVETS, MUSLINS, RIBBONS, LACES, HABERDASHERY, HOSIERY, DAMASK CLOTHS, MANCHESTER GOODS, &c., &c.
JAMES COWAN will conduct the above sale. Terms Cash. No Reserve.

BY ORDER OF THE MINISTER FOR WORKS.
IMPORTANT
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE,
at an EARLY DATE.
BLOCK of BUILDINGS known as CHANGE ALLEY, in Pitt-street, fronting CIRCULAR QUAY, to be demolished and SOLD in LOTS.
JAMES COWAN,
BUILDING MATERIAL AUCTIONEER
and VALUATOR,
will conduct the above Important AUCTION SALE.
Auctioneer's Office: 206 PITT-STREET. Telephone, 742.

MONDAY NEXT, at 2.30 p.m.
On the Premises, 68 Oxford-street, city.
ALF. EDGAR will sell by auction the Contents of a 10-roomed house.
Full particulars Monday's Herald.

ABSOLUTELY NO RESERVE.
WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 11 a.m.
At 45 BUCKINGHAM-STREET, CITY.
ALF. EDGAR
will sell by auction, under instructions from Mrs. Barnett, who is leaving for the country, the whole of her Superior and nearly new Household FURNITURE and Effects, being the contents of an eight roomed house. Superior Walnut Piano, Walnut Sideboard (originally cost £20), Leather Dining-room Suite, Massive Bedsteads, with Kapok and Horsehair Bedding, Eureka Gas Stove, nearly new. For full particulars see Wednesday's Herald.
ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

THIS DAY, at 2.30.
MIDDLETON and CO. (in conjunction with Beard and Co.) are instructed to sell by auction, at 41 Broadway, Glebe, very handsome Plate-glass Sideboard, Oil Paintings, Nice Ornaments, Occasional Table; Gongs, Tapestry, and American Leather Suites; Dining Tables, Cheffonier, Safes, Couch, Ice Chest, handsome Bedsteads, Kapok Bedding, Combination and Cedar Chests of Drawers, Washstands, Toiletware, Dresser, Enamelled Ware, Saucepans, &c. No reserve.

PASTORAL PROPERTIES
and
AGRICULTURAL LANDS
in the
CENTRAL DIVISION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
FOR PRIVATE SALE under the provisions of the Will of the late J. C. RYRIE, of Weemabah.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Executors in the Estate of the late J. C. RYRIE to sell privately the following Properties as previously advertised:—
EUROMBEDAH
LUCKNOW
ORANGE TREE
YARRA GLEN
BILLY MYALL'S
O'BRIEN'S BLOCKS
BUDDABADAH
WEST BOGAN LANDS, including BALGAY.
For full particulars apply to
HILL, CLARK, and CO.,
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WOOL AND PRODUCE BROKERS.
CONSOLIDATED CHARGE FOR SELLING WOOL | 2½ PER CENT. | INCLUDES ALL CHARGES EXCEPTING CARTAGE FROM STEAMER'S WHARF.
FAT STOCK SALESMEN, STOCK AND STATION AGENTS,
SELLING BROKERS ONLY.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN, LTD.,
CIRCULAR QUAY, SYDNEY.

Auction Sales

TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
With all Faults, if any.

60 Cases WAX VESTAS, 250's,
Crown Brand.

20 Bales TOBACCO LEAF.

64 Boxes RAISINS.

5 Cases OX TONGUES, 2lb.
5 Cases SHEEP'S TROTTERS, 1lb.

16 Buckets PRUNES, ca. 40lb.

Also,
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.

19 Cases S. A. VIRGIN OLIVE OIL
17 Cases PATENT SAFETY VESTAS
10 Sacks WALNUTS
22 Sacks BARCELONA NUTS
75 Dozen MILLET BROOMS
25 Boxes DATES
20 Cases SARSAPARILLA
1 Case ESSENCES
10 Cases SOUTH AUSTRALIAN JAM.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY, late HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY, will sell the above at THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET, TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20th, 1901,
at 2.30 p.m.

FOR ABSOLUTE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
at the Mart, 199 Pitt-street,

SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
consisting of

Cedar and Pine BEDROOM SUITES, Cedar and Pine CHESTS OF DRAWERS, Cedar and Pine BEACONSFIELD WARDROBES, PAIRS OF TOILETS, DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, DINING-ROOM SUITES, SIDEBOARDS, DINNER WAGGONS, BOOKCASES, ROLLER-TOP DESKS, SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, DINING TABLES, KITCHEN TABLES, KITCHEN SAFES, KITCHEN DRESSERS, &c., &c., &c.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY,
late
HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY,
Auctioneers and Valuators,
199 Pitt-street.

FRIDAY, 23rd AUGUST, AT 11 A.M.

AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET.

A HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE OPEN AND DISPLAYED SALE OF

CARRARA AND FLORENTINE MARBLE STATUARY,

comprising
Vases on Columns, Statues on Pedestals, Tazzas, Ewers and Vases, Statuettes, Heads, Busts, &c.
Also
A CHOICE COLLECTION
of
MAGNIFICENT VASES, ORNAMENTS, CANDELABRAS, JARDINIERES, TABLE LAMPS, CLOCKS, FLOWER POTS, BOWLS, PLAQUES, TETE-A-TETE SETS, &c., &c.,
in

DRESDEN, CROWN, DERBY, AND MINTON,

and

FRENCH AND JAPANESE BRONZES.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY,
late
HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY,
AUCTIONEERS and VALUATORS,
199 PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST,
at 12 o'clock sharp.

FOR POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

At the Mart, 199 Pitt-street.
Under instructions from Messrs. Garber, Michaut, and Co.

415 PACKAGES

NEW SEASON'S CEYLON TEAS,

ex Victoria and P. R. Luitpold, from Colombo.

HIGH GRADE
Pekoe Souchong, Pekoes, Orange Pekoes, and Broken Orange Pekoes.

CYRIL TROWER AND COMPANY will hold the above Important Sale by Auction at the Mart, 199 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY Next, at 12 sharp.

Catalogues and Samples at the Rooms.

Terms at Sale.

TO THE DRAPERY AND CLOTHING TRADES, HAWKERS, DEALERS, COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, &c.

In our Rooms, 7 WYNYARD-STREET,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 21st, at 11 a.m.

Ex S.S. WARRIGAL and ORTONA.
By order of the Shippers.

Large and Varied Shipments of GENERAL DRAPERY, HOSIERY, HABERDASHERY, UNDERCLOTHING, MERCERY, &c., &c.

Also 45 Pcs. Fcy. Coloured Alpacas	60 Pcs Fcy. Dress Tweeds
1 Case Lds.' and Girls' Silk Gloves	60 Pcs. Blouse Silks
2 Cases Sponge Cloths	1 Case American Braces.

Men's, Boys', and Youths' Ready-made Clothing.

M. GOULSTON AND CO. (late Jas. Rod and Co.) will sell as above.

TO THE FANCY, CUTLERY, and HARDWARE TRADES.

In our Rooms, 7 WYNYARD-STREET,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUG. 21st, at 11 a.m.

Ex S.S. WARRIGAL.

Table and Pocket Cutlery, in Knives, K. and Forks, Carvers, also Moseley's Bone, Ivory, and Xylonite; Tea and Sugar Spoons; Shoe, Hair, Clothes, and Tooth Brushes; Rolled Gold Jewellery, Chains, Brooches, Perfumes, Soaps, Combs, Stationery, Scissors, Mirrors, Pipes, Studs, &c.

M. GOULSTON AND CO.
will sell as above.

960 SHEETS GALVANISED IRON,

BUILDING MATERIALS, IRON SHED, &c.

WILLIAM T. GIBB has been instructed to sell by auction on the ground, corner of Kingston-street and Rocky Point-road, ROCKDALE, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 11 a.m.,

960 Sheets of Gospel Oak and other brands of Galvanised Iron, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 feet lengths, which have been carefully taken down
4 Large Timber Racks, new and second-hand Timbers, in various lengths and sizes, Architraves, Mouldings, Scotias, Picket Palings, Door and Window Sashes, &c., &c.
1 Galvanised Iron Shed, about 20 x 13, easily removed, and numerous Sundries.

Removed from George-street West.

S. W. MARGETTS will sell by auction, at 37 Broadway, Glebe, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, Drawing-r. Suite, Dining-r. Suite, Pine Wardrobe, Pr. Toilets; 4ft. 6in., 3ft. 6in., 2ft. 6in. D.T. Bedsteads, complete, with Sheets, Blankets, &c.; 4 and 7 drawer Chests, Austrian Chairs, and numerous other lines.
WITHOUT RESERVE.
Also, 1 Wal. Piano, Oak Extension Table, lovely B.R. Suite, Enclosed Glass Dresser, K. Table, Safe, &c.

RANDWICK.

Important Preliminary Notice to the Residents of Randwick and adjacent suburbs, Ladies and Gentlemen Requiring Artistic Furniture and Appointments.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION
on
THURSDAY, 29th AUGUST,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.,
at
HASTINGS,
CROSS-STREET, RANDWICK,
facing the Bowling Green.

Under instructions from
JOHN NORTON, Esq., M.L.A.,
in consequence of
HIS EARLY DEPARTURE FOR EUROPE.

The Whole of His
VALUABLE and COSTLY FURNITURE
and
THE RECHERCHE APPOINTMENTS
of the RESIDENCE.

BARONIAL CARVED FURNITURE
for
DINING-ROOM and LIBRARY,
In VERY FINE OLD ENGLISH OAK.

Purchased by Mr. NORTON at the Sale of Mrs. WILLIE MITCHELL'S Effects at Longwood, Darling Point, and without doubt the finest OLD CARVED OAK FURNITURE in the State.

VERY MASSIVE CHAIRS,
of OLD CARVED INDIAN WORKMANSHIP.
Formerly the property of the late Sir Henry Parkes.

LOUIS XV. TABLES,
Exquisitely inlaid with Ivory and Pearl.

RARE BRONZES,
including
BUSTS and STATUES of NAPOLEON.

VERY CHOICE COLLECTION
of
RARE CHINA and PORCELAIN,
including
many Exquisite Examples of
SEVRES, DRESDEN, DOULTON, COALPORT.

ARTIST PROOF ENGRAVINGS.
VALUABLE OIL PAINTINGS.

LIBRARY
of VALUABLE BOOKS.

MAGNIFICENT BEDROOM SUITES,
in
SOLID SPANISH MAHOGANY,
And
the whole of the
GENERAL APPOINTMENTS
of
THE SUMPTUOUSLY FURNISHED RESIDENCE.

CONSERVATORY OF PLANTS,
&c., &c.

FULL PARTICULARS will be advertised on later dates, and CATALOGUES are now in course of preparation.

JAMES R. LAWSON, AUCTIONEER, LAWSON, CARO, and COY., Ltd., has been favoured with instructions from JOHN NORTON, Esq., M.L.A., to conduct the Important Sale by Auction at his residence, as above.

LAWSON, CARO, and CO., Limited.
AUCTION ROOMS, 128, 130 PITT-STREET
(near King-street).

THESE COMMODIOUS and CENTRAL ROOMS are always open for the reception of
FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
PIANOS, PLATE, PICTURES,
OBJETS D'ART, BOOKS, &c., &c.
Also,
MERCHANDISE of EVERY DESCRIPTION
FOR AUCTION SALE or FOR STORAGE.
LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES MADE,
and
ACCOUNT SALES rendered Immediately after Sale.

VALUATIONS MADE FOR PROBATE, &c.
INVENTORIES CAREFULLY PREPARED.
MR. JAMES R. LAWSON,
as hitherto, will PERSONALLY conduct all Auction Sales and will give Special Attention to
SALES by AUCTION at PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

MOORE PARK.

TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, AT 11 A.M.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,
at the Residence
VERULAN, 284 PARK-ROAD, MOORE PARK
(between Oatley-road and Regent-street),
under instructions from
Mr. W. F. KENSITT,
in consequence of relinquishing housekeeping.

SURPLUS FURNITURE
and
HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.

Cedar Dining Table, Cedar Sideboard, Horse Hair Couch and Chairs, Austrian and Rattan Furniture, Occasional Tables and Chairs, Chest Drawers, Double and Single Bedsteads and Bedding, Wertheim Sewing Machine, Kitchen and Laundry Requisites, &c., &c.

ON VIEW TUESDAY MORNING PRIOR TO SALE.

JAMES R. LAWSON,
AUCTIONEER,
LAWSON, CARO and CO., LTD.,
has been favoured with instructions from Mr. W. F. KENSITT to conduct the sale by auction at his residence, as above.

CARPETS.

Important to Ladies and Gentlemen about to Furnish, Warehousemen, and Others.

SALE BY AUCTION,
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE,
on
TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST,
AT 2.30 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

CONSIGNMENT OF CARPETS,
EX SHIP WARRIGAL.

AT THE RISK OF THOSE CONCERNED.

BY ORDER OF THE BANK.

ROYAL AXMINSTER CARPET SQUARES
WILTON PILE CARPET SQUARES
BRUSSELS CARPET SQUARES
IN ALL SIZES
AND IN THE LATEST DESIGNS AND COLOURINGS.
Also,
HEARTH RUGS, BEDSIDE RUGS,
DOORSLIPS.

JAMES R. LAWSON,
AUCTIONEER,
LAWSON, CARO, and CO., Ltd.,
has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction as above at THEIR ROOMS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, near King-street.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
on
WEDNESDAY NEXT,
21st AUGUST, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.,
at
CHRIST CHURCH RECTORY, PITT-STREET SOUTH,
under instructions from
THE MOST REV. BISHOP GERARD TROWER, M.A.,
in consequence of his recent appointment as Bishop to the See of Central Africa.

THE VERY SUPERIOR
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS,
including
Fine Table Glass, Doulton China Tea and Dinner Services
Royal Axminster and Kensington Carpet Squares
Best Quality Linoleum, Superior Window Draperies.

SOLID WALNUT DINING-ROOM FURNITURE,
comprising
Handsome 5ft. Sideboard, Telescope Dining Table, 12ft.
Carved Dining-room Suite, upholstered in morocco leather, 9 pieces.

TWO WRITING TABLES, WALNUT REVOLVING BOOKSTAND,

WALL BOOKSHELVES,
in three sections, suitable for library or office purposes.

FOUR BEACONSFIELD BEDROOM SUITES.

SEVERAL SINGLE HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS,
furnished complete.

KITCHEN and LAUNDRY REQUISITES.
PATENT TWO-ROLLER MANGLE.
HANNAM'S PATENT COPPER BATH HEATERS,
&c., &c., &c.

ON VIEW WEDNESDAY MORNING, 21st AUGUST,
PRIOR TO SALE.

JAMES R. LAWSON,
AUCTIONEER,
LAWSON, CARO, and CO., Ltd.,
has been favoured with instructions from THE MOST REV. BISHOP GERARD TROWER, M.A., to conduct the important sale by auction, at CHRIST CHURCH RECTORY, PITT-STREET SOUTH, as above.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

DRUMMOYNE,

ON THE PARRAMATTA RIVER.

To the Residents of Drummoyne, Hunter's Hill, and adjacent suburbs.

Ladies and Gentlemen who may require Artistic Furniture, Musicians, and others.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
on
TUESDAY, 27th AUGUST,
at
THE BUNGALOW,
TAVISTOCK-STREET, DRUMMOYNE,
under instructions from
D. G. PEELE, Esq.,

THE FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS
OF THE RESIDENCE.

Included in the Catalogue are some fine
CHIPPENDALE
CHAIRS AND TABLES.
Genuine old examples, in fine preservation.

STEINWAY PIANOFORTE,
FULL CONCERT GRAND,
imported at a cost of Three Hundred Guineas for
SIGNOR DE BEAUPUIS,
from whom it was purchased by Mr. Peele.
This valuable instrument should be of special interest to musicians.

The whole of the Furniture and Appointments are in good taste and excellent preservation.

Also,
ENGLISH BALLI CAR
(Dog Cart of latest design built by WINDOVER, LONDON),
STANCH BAY COB,
and
SET OF BRASS-MOUNTED HARNESS,
forming together
A VERY STYLISH TURNOUT
Admirably adapted for a doctor or private gentleman.

A SMALLER CART,
built to Mr. Peele's order, on English lines, and highly finished (equal to new).

FULL PARTICULARS in later advertisements.

CATALOGUES will be posted to Ladies and Gentlemen who will favour the Auctioneers with applications.

JAMES R. LAWSON,
AUCTIONEER,
LAWSON, CARO, and COY., Ltd.,
has been favoured with instructions from D. G. PEELE, Esq., to conduct the Highly Important Sale at his Residence, as above.

THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST,
at the CITY MART, at 11.30 a.m.

BY ORDER of Messrs. FRASER, RAMSAY, and CO.

604 Packages INDIAN TEAS,

Ex IKBONA, &c.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO.
will sell by auction, the above.

TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST,
at the CITY MART, at 11.30 a.m.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

WITH ALL FAULTS.

15 Cases PLAIN IRON, 24 and 26 gauge
3 Ditto GALVD. CORR. IRON, 26 gauge, 6, 7, 8 feets.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO.
will sell by auction, the above.

AT THE SALEROOM, 65 PITT-STREET.
THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST, 1901, at 2.30 p.m.

Under instructions from
Messrs. DALGETY and CO., Ltd.

476 PACKAGES

INDIAN TEAS,

New Season's,
1901-1902.

Ex IKBONA, from Calcutta.

ALFRED HARVEY AND CO.,
SELLING BROKERS,
63 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

SAMPLES on View at Brokers' Office.

THIS DAY, 17th INST., at 11 o'clock a.m.
On the Premises,
LEURA, MILL HILL-ROAD, WAVERLEY.

UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
of SUPERIOR FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising—
new Persian Carpet and best quality Linoleum, Dinner and Tea Service, Drawing, Dining, and Bed Room Suites, Austrian Furniture, Walnut Overmantel, Sideboard with P.G. back, Double and Single Half Bedsteads and Bedding, new Gocart and Bassinette, Gas Stove (nearly new, and in good condition), Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, and Sundries.

ALLDIS AND CO. have been favoured with instructions from the owner (who is leaving the colony) to sell by auction, Without the Slightest Reserve, as above.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, AT 3 O'CLOCK.
200 SHEETS GALVANISED IRON,
QUANTITY OF BUILDERS' SUNDRIES, GATES, &c.

H. LEVY will sell by auction, at the corner of Station and Holt streets, Newtown, The above. Without Reserve.

EXTENSIVE BOOT SALE,
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET.

ON TUESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 20,
at 11 o'clock.

MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S BOOTS,
comprising
Girls' Patent Ankle and Overstrap Shoes
Women's Glace Balmorals, pat. vamp, 3-7
Women's Glace and Tan Evening Shoes
Men's Hide and Calf Golosh Bals., 5-10
Women's Glace Button and Lace Shoes, 3-7
Women's Glace Kid b.S., vamp and seam to toe
Girls' Glace Balmorals and Shoes
Children's and Infants' Boots and Shoes,
and
ASSORTMENT OF COLONIAL MANUFACTURE.

A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell, as above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on TUESDAY NEXT, August 20, at 11 o'clock sharp.

WITHOUT RESERVE

TO FANCY GOODS BUYERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET,
ON WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 21,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP,
EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT GENERAL FANCY GOODS, CUTLERY, PERFUMERY, &c.,
comprising
PURSES, PIPES, POCKET CUTLERY, PERFUMES
PHOTO MOUNTS, TWINES, SMELLING SALTS
ENVELOPES, TABLE and DESSERT CUTLERY
E.P. TABLE and DESSERT SPOONS and FORKS
TOYS, DOLLS, POCKET BOOKS, STATIONERY
CHEMISTS' SUNDRIES, &c.

A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, August 21, at 11 o'clock sharp.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

TO THE DRAPERY TRADE, DEALERS, and OTHERS.

AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET,
ON THURSDAY NEXT, AUGUST 22,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

MEN'S, BOYS', and YOUTHS' CLOTHING.
WOOLLENS.

Also,
GENERAL DRAPERY AND UNDERWEAR,
consisting of
Calicoes, Sheetings, Silesias, Prints, Flannels, Flannelettes, Women's and Children's Hosiery, Corsets, Underclothing, Ribbons, Laces, Silks, Velvets, Haberdashery, Trimmed Hats, Millinery, &c., &c.

A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell, as above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on THURSDAY NEXT, August 22, at 11 o'clock sharp.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

ATTRACTIVE SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION,
at our NEW and SPACIOUS ROOMS,
113 and 115 BATHURST-STREET.

THURSDAY NEXT, AUGUST 22nd, at 11 o'clock, continuing the sale all day, with short break for lunch.

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE
and HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS,
comprising the complete Furnishings removed to the Rooms for convenience of sale, from the residence of Mrs. SAYER, Crow's Nest, North Sydney; and SANDERS' Store, Pyrmont, including:—
TABLE GLASS, Fine CHINA, CUTLERY, and superior quality Electroplate

Finest quality Royal Axminster and Brussels CARPET SQUARES, Bordered
Very superior Dining-room FURNISHINGS in solid Walnut and Tasmanian Blackwood, comprising 5ft. lofty Sideboard, 8ft. Extension Dining Table with patent screw, Dinner Waggon, and massive Leather Suite (9 pieces)

Elegant Solid Walnut OVERMANTELS
Exquisite Drawing-room FURNISHINGS in solid Walnut, upholstered in beautiful Silk Tapestry and Genoa Velvet and Plush
Reception and Occasional TABLES.

Valuable Upright Grand PIANOFORTE, The Ronisch, in beautiful Walnut Case, full iron frame, trichord, possessing marvellous powers of tone and touch.
Also, several Other INSTRUMENTS,
By Nicholson and G. Simon, Stuttgart, Bord, &c., on account of various interests.

Magnificent Solid Walnut and Ash BEDROOM SUITE, beautifully carved panels, in grand order
Handsome Heavily Brass-mounted HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, size 4ft. 6, 3ft. 6, 2ft. 6, complete with Double Wire and Kapok Mattress, Bolsters, and Pillows.

Substantial BEDROOM FURNITURE, including Combination Chests, M.-top Washstands, Toilet Tables, Toilet Ware, &c., &c.

Whitewood KITCHEN DRESSER, with glass doors
Patent 2-roller Mangle, Wringer
KITCHEN TABLE, and large Quantity of useful Kitchen and Laundry Requisites.

DALWOOD, AND CO., LTD., have been favoured with instructions from Mrs. SAYER to conduct this HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE, WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

TO TUGBOAT PROPRIETORS, STEVEDORES, and LIGHTERMEN.

3 POWERFUL TUGBOATS, 4 LIGHTERS, and STEAM WHIPPER.

In the Estate of J. Dalton (deceased),
by order of the Executors,
To wind up the Estate.

On TUESDAY, 3rd SEPTEMBER, at 3 o'clock,
At the City Auction Rooms, Wolfe-street, Newcastle.

TUGBOATS.
EMU, 54-h.p., 60 tons gross register, length 88ft. 8in., breadth 17ft., depth 8ft.
YOUNG BUNGAREE.—35-h.p., 70 tons gross register, length 87ft., breadth 15ft., depth 9ft.
STORM KING.—14-h.p., 43 tons gross register, length 70ft. 7in., breadth 16ft. 6in., depth 7ft.

LIGHTERS.
CAMARANG.—152 tons register, length 144ft. 6in., breadth 22ft. 4in., depth 6ft. 8in.
COMPETITOR.—120 tons register, length 80ft. 7in., breadth 22ft. 1in.
TARTAR. 56 tons register, length 89ft. 6in., breadth 18ft. 3in., depth 4ft.
BOATMAN.—55 tons register, length 72ft., breadth 21ft., depth 4ft. 6in.

STEAM WHIPPER.
LADY BELMORE.

The whole of the Steamboats, Lighters, and Whipper comprise the plant now being worked in Newcastle Harbour for towing and stevedoring purposes by the trustees, who have decided to ABSOLUTELY SELL and wind up the estate, so that persons on the lookout for vessels of the above description should not miss attending this sale.

CREER AND BERKELEY have received instructions from the Executors to sell by auction at their Rooms, Newcastle, on TUESDAY, 3rd SEPTEMBER, at 3 o'clock.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneers.

THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.,
at the Newtown Markets, Newtown,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS,
Very Handsome Bedroom Suites, Massive Brass Mtd. Bedsteads, Drawing-room Suites, Cedar Chests of Drawers, Bamboo and Walnut Overmantels, Aust. Chairs, Tables, Couches, Dressers, Carpets, Curtains, Pictures, Crockery, Glassware, and Kitchen Utensils.
Also, in the deceased estate of the late Constable C. Jarvis, Clothing.

EVANS and CO. have received instructions to sell as above, absolutely WITHOUT RESERVE.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd.

PROPERTY AUCTIONEERS, AGENTS,
and
VALUATORS.

ARRANGE LEASES and Lettings of Stores, Offices, and all classes of Private Dwellings, furnished and unfurnished.

COLLECT RENTS, Dividends, and Interests.

The ENTIRE MANAGEMENT of Properties, including attention to Repairs, Insurances, &c., A SPECIALITY.
OFFICES and Salerooms,
88 Pitt-street.

A CHANCE FOR AN ENTERPRISING BUILDER.
20 HOUSES,
in two terraces, 13 and 7 respectively, built of brick, each containing 4 rooms and kitchen,
IN INDIFFERENT REPAIR.
With a reasonable expenditure and judicious handling the property would probably produce an INCOME OF at least £400 PER ANNUM.
THE LAND,
practically a square CORNER BLOCK, having about 150ft. frontage to GORDON and WAVERLEY STREETS respectively, is WELL ELEVATED, overlooking the Randwick Racecourse and tram sheds.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will submit to PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.
For ABSOLUTE SALE,
TO DETERMINE A TRANSACTION,
The above-described
RANDWICK TERRACES.

NORTH SYDNEY.

TENTERDEN, a ROOMY COTTAGE DWELLING, containing 10 apartments, irrespective of numerous domestic offices; LARGE COACHHOUSE, stabling, and useful outbuildings.
The LAND, a fine level block, has 106ft. to LANE COVE-ROAD by depth about 150ft. along a side lane, BEN EDEN STREET abutting at the rear; in addition is an adjoining Block, about 40 x 125.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will submit to PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above COMMODIOUS RESIDENCE, standing within a large area of land, convenient to tram.
Messrs. DODDS and RICHARDSON, Hunter-street, are Solicitors for the Vendor.

BONDI.

A GENTEEL RESIDENCE, substantially built of brick, slate roof, known as
LIVINGSTONE, No. 162 BONDI-ROAD, containing hall, 8 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, servant's room, laundry, verandah, and balcony, &c.
LAND, 30 x 165.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, NEXT TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above well-positioned two-story Dwelling, in good order, convenient to the baths and beach; tram to the door.

KOGARAH.

Lot 25, Sec. 9, OCEAN VIEW ESTATE. A CAPITAL ALLOTMENT, 50ft. frontage to NORTHBROOK-STREET, depth 158ft. Torrens title.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell the above, by order of the Mortgagee, by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt street, on NEXT TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.

DROMANA, CROYDON.

A CAPITAL RESIDENCE of brick, slate roof, contg. hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, &c.; LAND has frontage 28½ft. to QUEEN'S-CRESCENT by depth 204ft, extending to CALONE-STREET.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited (in conjunction with Messrs. MARSHALL and DEMPSTER), will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on
NEXT TUESDAY, 20th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, Ltd.

AUCTIONEERS and VALUATORS.

SALES EFFECTED BY AUCTION OR PRIVATELY.

PROPERTIES LET.

RENTS and INTERESTS, &c., COLLECTED.

ESTATES MANAGED.

Valuations Made for all Purposes.

SPECIAL Arrangements made for Valuing and Conducting Sales Locally of Country Estates.

COMFORTABLE COTTAGE, PADDINGTON,
conveniently situated, handy to Oxford-street.

No. 4 ALEXANDER-STREET, close to Renny-street. It is of W.B., and contains 5 rooms, large attic room, kitchen, brick washhouse, bathroom, copper, fixed tubs, gas, sewer, and new water service. Land has 20ft. frontage, depth extending to Little Stewart-street, at rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, on FRIDAY, 23rd August, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Cottage Home. Inspection invited.
One minute from tram. (6140)

ELIZABETH BAY, POTTS POINT.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ROTHESAY, a faithfully built and excellently situated RESIDENCE, in the midst of first-class properties, and with easy access of city by 'bus, tram, or walk. It is of brick, cemented, on stone, and contains
ON GROUND FLOOR—Verandah, balcony, balconette, tiled hall, double drawing-room, dining-room, billiard-room, laundry, pantry, and lavatory.
ON FIRST FLOOR—Hall, 6 rooms, dressing-room, 2 bathrooms, p. w.c.
ON BASEMENT—2 bedrooms, workroom, kitchen, laundry, mangle-room, boy's room, pantry, fuelshed, detached workshop of brick.
The grounds, quite ample, are effectively placed into grass plots, shrubbery, and tennis lawn.
It is in first-class order, having just left the hands of the renovator.
TITLE, LEASEHOLD, 62 years to run, at a ground rent of £35 yearly.
The above highly-desirable home is strongly recommended to notice, as it is intended to sell.

CARDS TO VIEW FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 23rd August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above (Rothesay), in a choice residential locality. (6113).

NORTH BOTANY.
Otherwise known as Freehold Waterloo.
Lots 27 to 30, Sec. 2 of H. Pile's Subdivision, having 80ft. frontage to HIGH-STREET by a good depth of 150ft., not far from main road and tram.
In one or more lots.
AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 23rd AUGUST,
at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

HOMEBUSH.

An Elevated and Most Comfortable Home Cottage Residence known as
HAWTHORN,
The Property of F. W. Binney, Esq., deceased,
One of the best situations in this healthy, gladsome suburb, so well served with frequent quick and slow trains.
The Cottage is substantially built, grounds are neat and inexpensive to maintain.
Land, 100ft. frontage to ABBOTSFORD-ROAD; depth, 800ft., extending through to BROUGHTON-ROAD.
Preliminary Notice.
By Order of the Executors.
AUCTION SALE on an early date, to be notified.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD.
Cards to view on application. (6148)

1. ST. PETERS.—Cottage, AT FRED-STREET, Wbds., double front, hall, verandah, 4 large rooms, brick kitchen, comfortable side entrance; land 50 x 100 feet.
2. DITTO.—2 Allotments, next above, close paling fence, each 50 x 100 feet.
3. NEWTOWN, EDGEWARE-ROAD.—Detached Brick Cottage, No. 39, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, bath, &c.; land 20 x 103 feet, extending to Francis-street at rear.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 23rd AUGUST,
at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (6154)

PADDINGTON.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 27 and 29 CALEDONIA-STREET, between Elizabeth-street and Point Piper-road. They are of brick on stone, balconies, and each containing half hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen, washshed of wood, bathroom to No. 29, large SHED over yards. Land, 38ft. by 90ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 23rd August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above good-letting property. (6150)

WAVERLEY.—Allotment 15, CHESTERFIELD HEIGHTS, having 40ft. frontage to BUSBY-PARADE, depth 150ft. back to lane. AUCTION SALE, at our Rooms, on FRIDAY, 23rd August, at 11.30 a.m.
(6151) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

CHATSWOOD.

GOOD INVESTMENT.

THREE PAIRS of Semi-detached COTTAGES, in ARCHER-STREET, a few yards north of VICTORIA-AVENUE, and only 5 minutes' walk from Chatswood railway station, in 1 or 3 lots, to suit purchasers. Each COTTAGE is of brick, front tuck-pointed, slate and iron roof, verandah, half hall, 3 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, washhouse, fuel shed.
The LAND has 100ft. frontage by a depth of 140ft.
RENTAL, £174 4s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 23rd August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. (6149)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

SUBURBAN FREEHOLDS.

Lot 1. BEECROFT.—3 acres 1 rood 16 pers., fronting Mary-street, York-street, Castle Howard-road, and Welham-street, being lots 13 to 17, sec. 2, Government Subdivision.
_ On west side of line, about 8 minutes from station. Torrens.

Lot 2. CONCORD.—Allotments 15 to 17, sec. 5, 80ft. to Major's-road.

Lot 3. PARRAMATTA.—Land about 35½ft. frontage to the north side of GEORGE-STREET, between Smith and Charles streets, depth 240ft. On it is an old dwelling of weatherboard.
_ A Valuable Site in a main thoroughfare.

Lot 4. PARRAMATTA.—Block of Land, about 545ft. frontage to M'Arthur-street, near Pennant-street, depth about 280ft. On it is erected a Stone COTTAGE, verandah in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms, small room, kitchen, room of w'bds., stable and buggyhouse.

Lot 5. BANKSTOWN.—Allotments 17 and 42, sec. 5, Elysium Estate, 50ft. to Pandora-street, and 50ft. to Tempe Estate, depth through 240ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. (6137)

CANTERBURY.
FOUR Business Allotments, GEORGE-STREET, adjoining Rising Sun Hotel.
THREE Cottage Sites, JEFFREY-STREET.
The depths are suitable, and all have a lane 20ft. wide at rear.
Plan on view.
AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 30th AUGUST,
at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (6144)

ANNANDALE.
One of the progressive Suburbs.
1. PARRAMATTA-ROAD.—100ft. frontage x 150ft., being Lots 9 and 11, Section 1, near Nelson-street.
2. TRAFALGAR-STREET.—Three Allotments, 7, 8, and 32, Section 14, in all 150ft. 2in. by varying depths.
3. NELSON-STREET.—22ft. frontage x 100ft., Lot 9, Section 2. Torrens title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by public auction, under instructions from Mortgagees, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Plans on view. (6138)

By order of the
PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., LTD.,
as Administrators of the Estate late Mr. Wm. Hadden.

TWO COTTAGES, Nos. 118 and 120 BURLINGTON-STREET, NORTH SYDNEY. Land 30ft. frontage by 140½ft. TITLE, TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-mentioned freehold small Investment at NORTH SYDNEY. Full particulars in future advertisement. (6159)

BOURKE-STREET, DARLINGHURST.
Close to William-street and Tram.
BUILDING LAND.—56ft. 6in. frontage, by a depth of 93ft., having benefit of right-of-way at side, eligible for the erection of houses that would command tenancies and pay as an investment. Little vacant land now available, good piers and dwarf wall and railing enclose the frontage, and will go with land.
Title Freehold. Particulars from Messrs. RUSSELL and RUSSELL, 250 George-street, vendor's solicitors.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 30th AUGUST,
at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6145)

COLONIAL TANNERY
and
FARM AT ST. MARYS.
The area of the Land is
THIRTY-SIX ACRES,
having large frontage to
SOUTH CREEK.
THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of 130 Pits, about half of which are covered by iron roofing
Two-story BUILDING, 130ft. by 80ft., with steam boiler and chimney stack
CURRYING SHOP of brick and containing three floors.
RESIDENCE of 11 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, and pantry
FIVE COTTAGES (for workmen), stable for 6 horses, hayloft, shed for hay.
The attention of tanners and manufacturers is directed to the sale of this freehold property.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.,
The abovementioned Tannery, South Creek, St. Marys. (6155)

WAVERLEY

Detached W.B. COTTAGE, No. 3 EVANS-STREET, in the occupation of Mr. Moffat at 15s per week. The LAND has 30ft. frontage, with a depth of 150ft. TITLE, TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with ALLDIS and CO., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, further particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. (6157)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

Lot 1. PARRAMATTA.—BLOCK of LAND, having a frontage to CHURCH-STREET, between the Western Road and Campbell-street, with a depth of 184ft., on it is erected a Brick Two-story HOUSE.
Lot 2. PARRAMATTA.—VACANT Block of Land, 74ft. 11in. to PENNANT-STREET, depth 300ft. to 310ft.
Lot 3. PROSPECT.—60 acres 3 roods and 1 perch, with frontages to Western-road, Blacktown-road, and other roads. It is fenced (3 rails) and a large portion cleared.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisements. (6120)

STRATHFIELD.

BUILDING SITE, 80ft. frontage to AGNES-STREET and 180ft. to COTSWOLD-ROAD, abutting on Werrangong Cottage, facing Allyn-street. Enclosed by a two-rail fence.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 30th August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. Torrens Title. (6158)

REDFERN FREEHOLDS.

By order of the Trustee.

Lot 1.—Two well-built SHOPS and Dwellings, Nos. 189 and 191 REGENT-STREET, east side, between Redfern and Raglan streets. Rental, £78 per annum. The Land has 30ft. frontage to Regent-street, with a depth of over 80ft., extending to a right-of-way.
_ A GOOD INVESTMENT in a busy thoroughfare of a densely-populated suburb, adjoining the city.

Lot 2.—ALLOTMENT of LAND having 30ft. frontage to the west side of BOTANY-STREET (at the rear of lot 1), with a depth of over 80ft., extending to right-of-way. It is let on lease, having about 2½ years to run, at a ground rental of £6 10s per annum. There is a small Building, No. 60 Botany-street, on the land. Tenant has the right to remove this on expiration of lease.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the Rooms on FRIDAY, 30th August, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement.
Messrs. BRADLEY and SON are Solicitors of the Trustee. (6162)

HOTEL.

FREE OF LEASE.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

THE GRAND NATIONAL HOTEL,
corner of
ELIZABETH and UNDERWOOD STREETS,
PADDINGTON,
two largely traversed streets, and situated in a populous district, doing a large bar trade.
TO BREWERS, INVESTORS, and OTHERS.
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
It is three-storied, and has large accommodation.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions from Mrs. Johanna Whelan to sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 30th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above splendid Hotel Property.
Messrs. HUGHES and HUGHES, Hunter-street, are Vendor's Solicitors. (6164)

HOMEBUSH LAND SALE.
On the Ground, 3 p.m.,
SATURDAY, 31st AUGUST.
Capital Building SITES, handy to Railway Station.
TITLE TORRENS. Easy terms.
LITHOS PREPARING.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6165)

GLEBE, Lyndhurst Estate.—Lots 17, 18, and 19, section V., in all 55½ft. frontage to DARLING-STREET, by an average depth of 85ft. back to Darling-lane.
CROYDON.—Lot 24, section 3, having 33ft. frontage to CROYDON-ROAD x 117½ft. along Boundary-street, near station.
HUNTER'S HILL.—Shop and Dwelling, ALEXANDRA-STREET, occupied by Mr. W. J. Neaves.
HUNTER'S HILL.—Subdivision into Allotments of 146½ ft. ALEXANDRA-STREET x 259½ft. along Adey-street, as per plan.

Mortgagees' Sales.
AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER,
at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (6141)

BUSINESS POSITION
in an
ADVANCING and POPULAR SUBURB.

1 ACRE 2 ROODS of Land at the CORNER of LANE COVE-ROAD and MOREE-STREET,
nearly opposite
GORDON RAILWAY STATION.
Fronting Moore-street is a Weatherboard COTTAGE.
_ The MAIN FRONTAGE is VACANT, and in every way suitable for business purposes. The residue of the Moree-street frontage could be sold in building allotments.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th September, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. Full particulars in future advertisements.
The key of the cottage is with Mr. M'Intosh, at opposite corner.
TITLE, TORRENS. (6161)

CITY.
By order of the Mortgagees.
1. Corner of GEORGE, HAY, and SUSSEX STREETS,
HAYMARKET.
VALUABLE DOUBLE CORNER.
Attention directed to this sale.
9¾ perches, portion of section 1, City of Sydney.
Most important and busy part, an undoubtedly good corner allotment, close to the proposed new Central City Railway Station. Torrens title.

2. MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT.
EIGHT DESIRABLE RESIDENCES, Nos. 85 to 99, at the corner of Orwell-street and Albert-street. They are three storys high, faithfully erected of brick, cemented, slate roof, each having verandah and balcony, hall, 8 rooms kitchen, bathroom, pantry, and laundry. No. 85 has stabling and coachhouse. Land, 176½ft. x 97½ft.
3. VICTORIA-STREET NORTH and Albert-street.
TWO three-story Houses, Nos. 112 and 114 of brick, cemented, each has verandah and balcony, hall, 8 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, &c. Land 40¾ft. x 98½ft.
4. VICTORIA-STREET NORTH.
Dwelling, No. 105, of brick, cemented, verandah and balcony, hall, 8 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, &c. Land ft. x ft.
5. ATHLONE-PLACE, off George-street West.
Land 40ft. x 60ft., depth through to Athlone-street.
6. GOULBURN-PLACE, off Wexford and Goulburn streets.
CORNER LAND, 60ft. 2in. x 31ft. 9½in. and 53ft. 4½in.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER,
at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6143)

WATER FRONTAGE
at
DRUMMOYNE.

LAND, 150 FEET to the WATERS of IRON COVE and 150ft. to CARY-STREET, with a depth through of about 200ft. on one side and 220ft. on the other.
THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of stone wall along the water line
Detached COTTAGE of brick, stabling
SAWMILL, containing 2 floors, with office, workshop, and stabling.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 6th September, at 11 o'clock,
The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. (6163)

In the Estates late GEORGE and MARGARET HAINING.

Lot 1. SURRY HILLS.—TWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16 ARTHUR-STREET, between CROWN and RILEY STREETS. The land has 3 ft. frontage with a depth of 120ft. back to a lane. The title is leasehold, having 60 years to run, at a ground rent of £10 per annum.

Lot 2. COOGEE.—LAND, 3 roods, 15 perches, being Nos. 10 to 12 of sec. 2, Victoria-road.
Lot 3. DITTO.—Allotment 10, Maroubra-street.

Lot 4. ROOKWOOD.—HALF-ACRE, DALLEY-STREET.

Lot 5. LAWSON, BLUE MOUNTAINS.—Brick-built COTTAGE, with 4 acres 2 roods 21 perches land fronting BATHURST-ROAD, about 10 minutes' walk from Railway Station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 13th September, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. Full particulars in future advertisement.
Messrs. J. WILLIAMSON and SONS are Solicitors of the Estates. (6160)

THE GARDEN OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

FARMS
in the CELEBRATED SOUTH COAST DISTRICT.
The well and favourably known
OMEGA ESTATE,
situate close to the Omega Railway Station, on the South Coast Railway, between
KIAMA and GERRINGONG.
By order of
C. W. BOWYER-SMIJTH, Esq., and
PERMANENT TRUSTEE CO., OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Ltd.,
Trustees of the Estate of the late SAMUEL W. GRAY.
Preliminary Notice.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction in the TOWN OF KIAMA Early in coming Spring, due notice of which will be announced,
The Omega Estate, subdivided into suitable Farm Areas. Lithographs preparing. (6102)

RICHARDSON and Wrench will sell by Auction on an early date, delightfully situated Residence, and 75 acres known as BAYLEY PARK, Campbelltown. Full particulars future advertisement.

SIDNEY RAPER AND CO.,

AUCTIONEERS and ESTATE AGENTS,

No. 82A PITT-STREET,

PROPERTIES SOLD BY AUCTION
or PRIVATE TREATY,
WAREHOUSES, STORES, and OFFICES TO LET.

RESIDENCES, HOUSES, and COTTAGES
TO LET or FOR SALE.

MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTIES Undertaken,
RENTS COLLECTED.

SIDNEY RAPER and CO.,
82A PITT-STREET. 82A PITT-STREET.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

AUCTION SALE OF BURBURGATE.

THE FAMOUS PASTORAL PROPERTY,
NEAR GUNNEDAH,
on the
LIVERPOOL PLAINS, N.S.W.,
comprising
more or less, 48,475 acres Freehold
8,065 acres Conditional Purchases
3,059 acres Conditional Leases
87,446 acres Crown Lands,
together with Sheep, Cattle, Horses, &c.

THE AUSTRALASIAN MORTGAGE and AGENCY COMPANY, Ltd., have received instructions from the NAMOI PASTORAL COMPANY, Limited, to sell by auction, at a place and time yet to be fixed,
BURBURGATE, as above,
In one line or subdivided into small and convenient holdings.

This Property is so well and favourably known that present comment from the Auctioneers is needless.
Full particulars will be advertised later on, or may now be obtained from the Auctioneers.

THE A. M. AND A. COMPANY, Limited,
42 Bridge-street, Sydney;
and THE AUSTRALASIAN WOOL STORES,
Collins-street W., Melbourne.

In the District Court of the Metropolitan, Suburban, and Hunter District, holden at Sydney. No. of Plaint, 698, of 1901; No. of Warrant, 101, of 1901. JAMES FOSTER, Plaintiff; and M. COSTELLO, Defendant.

ON the twenty-third day of August, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to a Warrant of Execution issued in this action, unless the same be previously satisfied, the Goods and Chattels of the abovenamed Defendant, namely:—All the Defendant's Right, Title, and Interest (if any) of, in, and to (inter alia) certain Furniture and Live Stock contained in the schedule to a certain Bill of Sale, Registered No. 20102, from the Defendant to one JAMES BRENNAN, to wit (inter alia), 25 Cows, 2 Horses, 2 Carts, 2 Sets Harness, and certain Dairy Implements, will be SOLD by Public Auction, at the Courthouse Gates, Queen's-square, Sydney. Dated this sixteenth day of August, 1901. Terms, Cash. No Cheques taken. JOHN BISHOP, Bailiff. LEE, COLQUHOUN, and BASSETT, Solicitors for Plaintiff, City Bank-chambers, 164 Pitt-st.

SURRY HILLS.—A Safe Investment for a moderate sum of money.—LAND, about 14ft. to Riley-street, and 17ft. to Little Norton-street, by through depth of about 100ft. (Torrens Title), on which are Nos. 344 Riley-street, Brick COTTAGE, stone foundation, iron roof, verandah, 3 rooms, and kitchen, 10s weekly; and No. 23 Little Norton-street, a 2-story Brick HOUSE, cemented front and W.B., stone foundations, slate roof, 3 rooms and kitchen, 8s weekly. Total rents 18s weekly, or £46 16s yearly.
For AUCTION SALE WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21st, 1901, at 11.30.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

THE ORCHARD COUNTRY.
DURAL DISTRICT.—100-ACRE BLOCK (12 acres in fruit trees), next to the improved property of Mr. Luke Gallard, being portion 177, Parish of Nelson, off the main road, and in the vicinity of Dural and Kenthurst Townships.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21st, 1901.
The above-described 100-acre Block, plan of which can be seen at the Rooms.
Communication is now by coach service along the main Dural-road to Parramatta, but the extension of the Clyde-Carlingford Railway (now open) to Dural, via Castle Hill, will give improved facilities of communication, and greatly enhance the value of lands in this locality. Inspection invited.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JOSEPH WYATT, Esq.

BURWOOD, fronting BURWOOD-ROAD.

14 ACRES 1 ROOD 13 PERCHES.

VALUABLE SUBDIVISION BLOCK OF LAND,
having
7 CHAINS 95 LINKS FRONTAGE
by a Depth of
14 CHAINS 24 LINKS on North Side,
14 CHAINS 99 LINKS on South Side,
Widening to
12 CHAINS 18 LINKS at Rear.

TITLE, TORRENS ACT.

This valuable Block of Land adjoins the property of C. H. Humphrey, Esq., Cheltenham Park Estate, and Weldon Estate subdivisions.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with MARSHALL and DEMPSTER) have received instructions to sell by public auction at the Rooms, 133 PITT-STREET, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 21st AUGUST, 1901,
the above described valuable Subdivision Block of Land, situate opposite the property of Hon. Richard Jones, M.L.C., and Mrs. Forrest.
The Mortlake and Burwood tram line shortly to be opened passes the land.

CHARMING RESIDENTIAL ESTATE
AT DRUMMOYNE,
occupying a delightful position, convenient to the ferry.

The BUNGALOW, a brick-built Cottage Residence containing drawing and dining rooms, nursery, and principal bedroom, each 26 x 20, two other bedrooms, sitting room, dressing room, music-room, 50 x 30, two servants' rooms, kitchen and offices, stables, coachhouse, and man's quarters.

The GROUNDS contain an area of over 5 ACRES, with extensive frontage to the MAIN RYDE ROAD, TAVISTOCK, MARLBOROUGH, and WESTBOURNE STREETS, the property offering special advantages for subdivision purposes (without interfering with the residence).
There are tennis courts, flower and vegetable gardens, shrubberies, and paddocks.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.,
on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1901.
The Bungalow and over 5 Acres at Drummoyne, as before described, at present occupied by D. G. PEELE, Esq.
Cards to view from the Auctioneers. Plan on view at the Rooms.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
LEICHHARDT.—SIX (6) BRICK COTTAGES, Nos. 122 to 132 FLOOD-STREET (a little south of Marion-street), four contain verandah, hall, 2 rooms, and kitchen, each let at 6s 6d per week; the other two each contain 4 rooms and kitchen, let at 7s 6d per week.
LAND, 140 x 90.
Also, adjoining BLOCK of VACANT LAND, 111ft. to Flood-street, by 275ft. deep. TITLE, TORRENS.
W. M. BARKER, Esq., O'Connell-street, Mortgagee's Solicitor.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with MARSHALL and DEMPSTER) will sell the above by public auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1901.

SPRINGWOOD LANDS.
Lot 1. Opposite the Railway Station, and adjoining the Royal Hotel,
5 EXCELLENT BLOCKS OF LAND,
suitable for business or residence sites, with frontages to the MAIN BATHURST ROAD.
Also COTTAGE RESIDENCE of W.B., containing 6 rooms, &c., let at 10s per week. LITHOS, at the Sale Rooms.
Lot 2. 50 ACRES,
fronting BURNS-ROAD, running off the BATHURST-ROAD, close to Mr. Fels and Mr. James Lawson's properties. Portion 34, Parish of Magdala.
This land is fenced and partly improved.
Lot 3. 8 AC. 0 RDS. 1 PER.,
fronting a Government road, being Lots 3 and 4, Sec. 2, of Meeks' Subdivision.
Plans on View.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1901.

ERSKINEVILLE, almost at the railway station, and close to the Public school and the reserve.—Nos. 19 and 20 BRIDGE-STREET, comprising BRICK HOUSE, with iron roof, containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, and stables, let at 17s per week. Also, BRICK COTTAGE of 5 rooms, half-hall, kitchen, and stable, let at 15s per week. Connected with sewer, gas and water. Land 80 x 100, with lane at rear. TITLE, FREEHOLD. A good letting property, and in first-class repair.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by public auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1901.

PEAKHURST, near HURSTVILLE.

VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND, containing an area of 20 ACRES 3 ROODS 19 PERCHES,
fronting BOND'S-ROAD, off the FOREST-ROAD,
known as S. Pearce's, and adjoining the
TIVOLI PARK ESTATE.
BY ORDER OF Mrs. WAUGH and the MORTGAGEES.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with F. Brown, Land and Estate Agent, of Hurstville) have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, 1901,
The above-described Block of Land.
This Land almost adjoins PEAKHURST PUBLIC SCHOOL.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE DR. CHAMBERS. MUST BE SOLD TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.
BEXLEY, ILLAWARRA LINE, 14 ACRES 23 PERCHES, having frontages to ILLAWARRA-ROAD, BARNSBURY GROVE, and Ellerslie-road, being Lots 7 to 11, Sec. 1, of the Alphington Park Estate. TITLE TORRENS. THIS LAND SHOULD CUT UP WELL. IT WILL BE SOLD VERY CHEAP.
AUCTION SALE, WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 4th, 1901.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1901.
AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,
AT MOSMAN'S.

30 GRAND BUILDING LOTS,
frontages to
MACPHERSON-STREET and HALE-ROAD,
just off Military-road,
close to the ELECTRIC TRAMS running to MOSMAN'S, MILSON'S POINT, or NEUTRAL BAY WHARF, and in a fast improving locality.
Torrens Title.
Terms—¼ cash, and the balance in two years at 5 p.c. interest.

Plans in course of preparation.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above Land by public auction, ON THE GROUND,
ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1901, at 3 p.m.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
GEORGE-STREET,
opposite THE TOWN HALL,
NEXT DOOR BUT ONE TO PARK-STREET.

A VERY FINE CITY PROPERTY
(something good and out of the ordinary).

No. 534 GEORGE-STREET,
comprising

AN IMPOSING PILE OF BUSINESS PREMISES,
occupied by GRIFFITHS BROS. PROPRIETARY, Ltd., the well-known Tea and Coffee Merchants.

THESE PREMISES are of handsome elevation, most substantially built of brick, and contain—
BASEMENT
SPACIOUS DOUBLE-FRONTED SHOP, and 4
WELL-LIGHTED UPPER FLOORS
Side Entrance, Lift, &c.

FULL PARTICULARS as to measurements of Land, Title, &c., will appear in a future advertisement.

THIS VERY EXCELLENT PROPERTY of modern construction offers a splendid opportunity for the INVESTMENT OF TRUST and OTHER FUNDS; it occupies an exceptionally good business position, and has for some years been in the possession of the present tenants.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, September 11th, 1901,
The above described Property,
No. 534 GEORGE-STREET,
opposite the TOWN HALL.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

HOUSES and BUILDING BLOCKS
AT BALMAIN.

Lot 1.—TALBOTT COTTAGE, No. 112 SHORT-STREET, close to MORT'S DOCK ENGINEERING WORKS and the FERRY. Land 66ft. frontage by average depth of 83½ft.
Lot 2. No. 58 REYNOLDS-STREET, just off Mullens-street, Brick-built House, erected on land having about 12ft. frontage by depth of 102ft. 9in.
Lot 3.—Vacant CORNER BUILDING SITE, WESTON-STREET, the main thoroughfare across Balmain, 27ft. frontage to Weston-street by depth of 72ft. along Springside-street, Lot 5 of a subdivision.
Lot 4.—VACANT BUILDING LAND, GLASSOP-STREET, overlooking Long Cove, and close to the Works of the Sydney Harbour Collieries, Limited, 40ft. 4in. frontage by average depth of about 107ft. 9in., being Lot 30 and part 28 of a subdivision.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above Properties by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, 11th September, 1901.
Further particulars will be advertised later on.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
GOOD BUILDING LOTS.
NORTH SYDNEY,
WELL POSITIONED.

Lot 1.—BLOCK of LAND, 310ft. 4in. frontage to FITZROY-AVENUE, and 278ft. to CARABELLA-STREET, being Lots 1 and 3 to 14, Sec. 1, and 9ft. reserve, as per plan. A first-class locality, convenient to Milson's Point.
Lot 2.—VACANT LAND, 120ft. to MOODIE-STREET, off Falcon-street, close to the RESERVE, by 150ft. deep, being Lots 3, 4, and 5 of a subdivision.
Lot 3.—FALCON-STREET, opposite the Reserve, Allotment having 50ft. frontage by 150ft. deep, being Lot 2 of a subdivision.
Lot 4.—THOMAS-STREET, off UNION-STREET, Building Site, having 40ft. frontage by 78ft. 9in., Lot 18, Sec. 3, of Blue's Estate.
Lot 5.—BLUE'S POINT-ROAD, Business or Residential Site, 20ft. frontage by 93ft. deep, being Lot 12, Sec. 6, of Carr's Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on
WEDNESDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1901.
Plans on view at the Salerooms.

ESTATE OF THE LATE W. R. WALFORD, JUN.
BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR.
STRATHFIELD,
close to the residences and grounds of Mrs. Lloyd Jones, Dr. Sydney Jones, T. J. Thompson, Esq., and others.
VACANT BUILDING BLOCKS
216ft. to KINGSLAND-ROAD
300ft. along BLANCHE-STREET.
Lots 17, 18, 19, sec. 2, of Wakeford's Orangery Subdivision. PLAN on view.
Will be sold cheap to close Trust Accounts.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, 4th SEPTEMBER, 1901,
The above-described Land at Strathfield.
The Title is Torrens.

MUST BE SOLD.
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN GOODSELL'S ESTATE, KING-STREET, NEWTOWN.
No. 639. COTTAGE of 4 rooms, let at 10s per week
No. 641. HOUSE of 4 rooms, let at 9s per week
No. 643. SHOP and DWELLING of 4 rooms, let at 10s per week
No. 645. SHOP and DWELLING of 4 rooms, let at 10s per week
Land, 71ft. 4in. x about 115.
TITLE, TORRENS.
The Electric Tram from Sydney to Newtown passes the property.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Mr. Benjamin James) will sell the above by public auction, at the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, 4th SEPTEMBER, 1901.

ANOTHER CHANCE.
THE CROW'S NEST SUBDIVISIONS,
NORTH SYDNEY.

TRAM and TRAIN FACILITIES.

CLEARANCE SALE
of
GOOD BUILDING SITES,
ON THE GROUND, at 3 o'clock,
SATURDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER, 1901.

TITLE IS TORRENS.

TERMS: Ten per cent. deposit, balance in yearly payments, 5 per cent. interest.

271 BLOCKS
GOOD LAND, IN EXCELLENT POSITIONS, SUITABLE FOR BUSINESS and RESIDENTIAL PURPOSES.

ALLOTMENTS FRONTING THE TRAM LINE.

BUILDING SITES ROUND ABOUT ST. LEONARDS RAILWAY STATION.

BUILDERS and OTHERS SHOULD INSPECT, and an opportunity for former purchasers in these well-known and largely built on Estates to secure additional adjoining Allotments to increase their present areas is now offered.

271 ALLOTMENTS,
fronting made streets as follows:—
45 Lots, LANE COVE-ROAD
27 Lots, NORTH SYDNEY-ROAD
27 Lots, ATCHISON-STREET
30 Lots CHANDOS-STREET
and other streets.

HARDIE and GORMAN, in conjunction with BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd. } Joint Auctioneers, Pitt-street.

LITHOGRAPHS in Preparation.

THE PICK OF NORTH SYDNEY,
corner of Merlin and Ernest streets.

Four Really CHOICE BUILDING SITES and Stone COTTAGE of 4 rooms and offices.

For Auction Sale on the Ground,
SATURDAY, 31st AUGUST, at 3.30 p.m.

In one line or in lots having 40ft. frontages.
Title, Freehold.
Only 100 yards from Electric Tram.
Opposite Cammeray Park and close to Reserve.

D. J. M'INTYRE and CO., Auctioneers,
80 Junction street, North Sydney;
94 Pitt-street, Sydney; and at Mosman.
Tel., 44 N.S.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

BOARD-ROOM, EQUITABLE-BUILDINGS.

MOST IMPORTANT EXECUTOR'S SALE
of
MELBOURNE CITY PROPERTIES
HELD FOR SEVERAL YEARS.

SHOPS, OFFICES, and STORE, ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH.
STORE, LITTLE LONSDALE-STREET.
FACTORIES, SOUTH MELBOURNE.

GEORGE G. HENDERSON (Equitable-building, Collins-street, Melbourne) has received instructions from Messrs. Ernest E. Keep and Ronald Keep, executors to the estate of the late Edward Keep, to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, as above, the following
VALUABLE CITY PROPERTIES.
1. ELIZABETH-STREET, Hopetoun-chambers.—Three-story Bluestone Building, comprising shops and offices, on land having a frontage of 40ft. or thereabouts, by a depth of 32ft. or thereabouts back to Staughton-lane, close to Collins-street and the Central Railway Station, becoming one of the most valuable positions in the city.
2. STAUGHTON-LANE, off Flinders-lane, immediately at rear of foregoing.—Magnificently built Brick Warehouse, of four stories and basement, furnished with hydraulic lift, on land 42ft. x 67ft. 8½in.; in the centre of the softgoods warehouses. This property has a right-of-way on two sides, and therefore well-lighted, and having been built for hardware, will carry any weight.
Lots 1 and 2 can be purchased as one property.
3. LITTLE LONSDALE-STREET, Nos. 312-320.—Well-built Brick Store, now occupied by Johnson, Clapham, and Morris, on land having a frontage of 60ft. 2½in. to Little Lonsdale-street, by a depth of 80ft. Situated between Elizabeth and Queen streets. A first-class business locality.
4. SOUTH MELBOURNE, close to Queen's Bridge.—Splendid Pile of Brick Buildings, comprising Works of Victorian Creamery Co., James Sonnett Pressing Works, and Buset, Bills, and Co., furniture makers, and standing on land having frontage of 329ft. 9in. to Miller-street, by a depth varying from 90ft. along Maffra-street to 110ft. 8in. on eastern boundary, and extending 200ft. along rear.
A few yards from the wharfs, Flinders-street, and Queen-street, and close to the heart of the city.
One of the best Manufacturing Sites in Melbourne.
TITLES, CERTIFICATES.
Plans and further particulars on application to the Auctioneer.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
of
QUEENSLAND CATTLE PROPERTIES,
at the
WOOL EXCHANGE, BRIDGE-STREET, SYDNEY,
IN SEPTEMBER NEXT.

THE AUSTRALASIAN MORTGAGE and AGENCY COMPANY, Ltd., have received instructions from the Mortgagees to offer for Sale by Public Auction at the New Wool Sale Room, Royal Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, at half-past two o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 25th September, 1901, the following CATTLE STATIONS in the State of Queensland:—

MT. M'CONNELL (including Ravenswood and Pyramid), in the South Kennedy District, about 30 miles south of Ravenswood Railway Station,

comprising	369 sq. miles Leasehold 834 sq. miles Resumed
together with	12,300 Cattle (about) 350 Horses.

HIDDEN VALLEY STATION, in South Kennedy District, about 80 miles south of Ravenswood, and 120 miles west of Bowen,

comprising	237 sq. miles Leasehold 162 sq. miles Resumed
together with	5000 Cattle (about) 130 Horses.

ANNANDALE STATION, in Leichhardt District, equidistant about 80 miles from Clermont and Mackay,

comprising	354 sq. miles Leasehold 207 sq. miles Resumed
together with	3500 Cattle (about) 100 Horses.

KILLARNEY STATION, situated about 15 miles west of St. Lawrence in the Leichhardt District of Queensland,

comprising	44 sq. miles Leasehold 24 sq. miles Resumed
together with	2000 Cattle (about) 50 Horses.

For fuller particulars apply to the Auctioneers,
The A. M. and A. Co., Ltd.,
Stock, Station, and Wool Salesmen,
42 Bridge-street, Sydney.
Australasian Wool Stores, Collins-street W., Melbourne.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28.
At the Rooms.
MORTGAGEE'S SALE of FREEHOLD CITY PROPERTIES, comprising
COMMODIOUS SIX-STORIED FACTORY,
corner of A'Beckett and Wills streets, and
54ft. 10in. LAND and BUILDINGS,
Queen-street, near Little Collins-street.
To Insurance Companies, Tobacco Merchants, Manufacturers, Investors, and Others.

W. F. VALE and CO. have received instructions from the Mortgagees to SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, Citizens'-chambers, 285 Collins-street, on WEDNESDAY, August 28, at half-past 2 o'clock,
CITY OF MELBOURNE.
All that piece of Land being Crown Allotment 9, section 40, city of Melbourne, parish of North Melbourne, county of Bourke, particularly described in the Certificate of Title entered in the Register Book, Volume 2625, Folio 524,920, having a frontage of 66ft. to A'Beckett-street by a depth of 166ft. 7in. along Wills-street on one side and 166ft. 4in. on the other; width at rear, 66ft. 3in.
The buildings thereon consist of that modern and substantial six-storied brick factory or warehouse, with MACHINERY, in the occupation of Messrs. Moss White and Co., and others.
CITY OF MELBOURNE.
All that piece of Land having a frontage of 54ft. 10in. to Queen-street by a depth of 111ft. 9in., being part of Crown Allotment 11, section 14, city and parish of Melbourne, county of Bourke, particularly described in the Certificate of Title, entered in the Register Book, Volume 1477, Folio 294,517.
The erections on this land consist of two old two-storied buildings, one occupied by the Auburn Carriage Co. and the other by Mr. W. H. Williams as a printing establishment, known as Nos. 131 to 135 Queen-street.

A BEAUTIFUL ORCHARD PROPERTY,

of 114½ acres,

at GROSE VALE, KURRAJONG,

about 20 chains frontage to the Grose River.

Well stocked with all kinds of choice Citrus and Stone Fruit Trees, now bearing well.

GUEST and SKUTHORP, Richmond, have received instructions from J. K. WALDEN, Esq., to sell the above Property, at their Saleyards, Richmond, at 3.30 p.m., on

SATURDAY, 7th September, 1901.

RAINE AND HORNE,

86 PITT-STREET,
AUCTIONEERS, LAND AND ESTATE AGENTS,
AND VALUATORS.

SALES OF CITY AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES EFFECTED
BY AUCTION AND BY PRIVATE TREATY.
VALUATIONS FOR PROBATE AND OTHER PURPOSES.

Rents Collected.
General Supervision of Estates undertaken.

IN A DECEASED ESTATE.

ENMORE,
SIMMONS-STREET, close to the Enmore-road.

The LAND has a frontage of about 30ft. to SIMMONS-STREET by a depth of about 92ft.
On it is No. 39 SIMMONS-STREET, built of brick, cemented, on stone foundation, slate roof, balcony and verandah in front, and containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, and washhouse.

TORRENS TITLE. RENT, £31 per annum.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 22nd August, at 11.30 a.m.

WOOLLAHRA.

FOUR CHOICE WATER-FRONTAGE
BUILDING SITES,
situated on the WOLSELEY-ROAD, and surrounded by First-class RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES.

Lot 2, Section 1, of the POINT PIPER ESTATE, having a frontage of about 118ft. 6in. to the WOLSELEY-ROAD by a depth of about 300ft. on one side and 236ft. on the other.

Lots 9 and 10, Section 1, POINT PIPER ESTATE, having a frontage of about 158ft. to the WOLSELEY-ROAD by a depth of 200ft. on one side and 105ft. on the other.

Lot 7, Section 2, POINT PIPER ESTATE, having a frontage of about 115ft. to the WOLSELEY-ROAD by a depth on one side of about 180ft., and about 170ft. on the other.

These Blocks have each a DEEPWATER FRONTAGE to the EASTERN SIDE of DOUBLE BAY.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION
in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on
THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.

RAINE and HORNE, Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

GORDON-STREET, BURWOOD.

Two faithfully-built Semi-detached HOUSES, known as NORMANBY and ROSEBERY, situated in GORDON-STREET, on Land having a frontage of about 51ft. by the liberal depth of 200ft.

BOTH HOUSES ARE IN GOOD REPAIR, ARE WELL TENANTED, AND ARE SITUATED IN A VERY FAVOURITE RESIDENTIAL LOCALITY.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above by Public Auction in their Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON,
AUCTIONEER.

NORTH SYDNEY.—An excellent Investment Property, No. 10 Anerum-street, W.B. Cottage, 4 rooms, &c.; 11 and 13 Eureka-street, 2 semi-detached Brick Cottages, each 3 rooms, rents 21s weekly.
RIVERSTONE, Orange Park.—Orchard, 22 acres, W.B. Cottage, 4 rooms, sheds, stables, fowlhouse, packing sheds, plough and various farming implements, 2000 trees, assorted kinds, all healthy, and in good order.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
LEICHHARDT.—An excellent Business Site, 20ft. to Parramatta-road by depths of 129ft. and 124ft., being lot 4, section 3, Elswick Estate, Torrens title.
ST. PETERS.—Land, 20ft. to Grove-street by a depth of 95ft., Torrens title.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON will offer the above-described at the Rooms, 250 Pitt-street, THURSDAY, 29th August, at 11.30 a.m.

MARKS' GRANT, KOGARAH,

ADJOINING THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

and

ELLESMERE, the residence of

The Hon. J. H. CARRUTHERS, M.P.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,

SATURDAY, the 7th SEPTEMBER, 1901,

AT 3.30,

by

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON,

250 PITT-STREET,
SYDNEY.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
of
YARRAN VALE ESTATE,
situated 22 miles from Matong, and 30 miles from Coolamon railway station.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Proprietors to offer by Public Auction, at the Wool Exchange, Macquarie-place, Sydney, on 3rd September next, at 2.30 o'clock,
THE YARRAN VALE ESTATE,
comprising about 4758 acres C.P. to be made freehold,
35 acres Freehold.
The whole Property is ringbarked, and 880 acres are cleared and under wheat, and most of the crop is now above ground.
Ring fence of 6 wires, and divided into 4 large and 4 small paddocks.
Splendidly watered by dams and tanks. Cottage, stable, yards, and all necessary improvements for working the property. The soil is of a rich dark-red loam, first-class agricultural and grazing land. Carrying capacity, about one sheep to the acre.
To anyone wishing to combine wheat-growing and sheep farming this is a rare opportunity, the land being second to none in the district.
Terms very easy, viz.: One-third cash, the balance in 15 yearly payments, carrying 4½ p.c. interest.
For further particulars or letters to inspect apply to the Agents,
HILL, CLARK, and CO.,
6 O'Connell-street,
Sydney.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

CULLEN BULLEN ESTATE.

SITUATED 100 MILES from SYDNEY,

on the

MUDGEE LINE, alongside of the

CULLEN BULLEN PLATFORM.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. have received instructions from the Trustees in the Estate to offer the above Property by auction, at the WOOL EXCHANGE, Macquarie-place, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 3rd September next, at 2.30 p.m.,

THE CULLEN BULLEN ESTATE,

consisting of, say,

2300 Acres Freehold, all first-class grazing and agricultural land, well watered by running streams, being the head waters of the Turon River; splendid Homestead, consisting of a 6-roomed Weatherboard Cottage, in first-rate condition, with detached kitchen and dairy, working men's Cottage, and other outbuildings, barn, stable, &c.; also, small orchard.

The property is for bona fide sale, it being the wish of the Trustees to wind up the Estate.

For further particulars or letters to inspect, please apply to

HILL, CLARK, and CO.,

6 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

For Continuation see Index to Advertisements.

Poultry, Dogs, &c.

BONAVENTURE CHAMPION MINORCAS.
Latest Success.
The Pullet, 1st Prahan (Vic.), Cockerel, 1st Essendon, and Pullet, 1st Essendon (Vic.) were bred from a cockerel supplied by us. The Cockerel, 1st and medal for best district bred bird at Kiama Poultry Show, was hatched from eggs supplied by us. The 1st and 2nd prize Cockerels N.S.W. P. P. C. and Dog Society, were hatched from eggs supplied by us. The Hen, 1st and medal for best soft-feathered fowl in show, at Great Northern Poultry Club Show, was supplied by us. Blood will tell, and merit must win. A splendid lot of Cockerels and Pullets at 15s, 21s, 30s, and 42s each up. Eggs, 21s and 42s per setting of 15.
Further particulars, also a copy of our 1901 price list of all other varieties, upon application.
BONAVENTURE POULTRY FARM,
Mount Druitt.

THE GRANTHAM STUD POULTRY FARM, Prampton, Rooty Hill, guarantees to give satisfaction in Stock Birds or EGGS for HATCHING. Send us your order.
Our 20th Century Poultry Book is free. You better have one.

SPECIAL PRICES for EGGS During AUGUST.—Buff Wyandottes, great layers, usual 21s, now 7s 6d. White or Buff Orpington, usual 20s, now 10s, imp. Silver-laced Wyandotte, usual 15s, now 7s 6d. Prize strain, Minorca or W. Leghorn, usual 7s 6d, now 5s. Good. Crossbreds, prize 1901, suit farmers, only 3s 6d doz. Duck, first-prize Muscovy, usual 7s 6d, now 5s.
10 per cent. off 50 or more. 9 guaranteed.
Monster Muscovy or Aylesbury Drakes, first prize, 5s 6d. Brahma or Crossbred Cockerels or Pullets, 6s ea.
Champion Muscovy Drake and 3 Laying Ducks, £1.
Royal Poultry Farm, near P.O., Peakhurst.

EGGS for hatching from three varieties of the most profitable breeds of fowls.
DIAMOND JUBILEE ORPINGTONS, the most fashionable fowls of the year.
PARTRIDGE WYANDOTTES, the handsomest variety of this popular breed.
SPANGLED ORPINGTONS, a black-and-white fowl of proved utility.
The above are all new breeds, are rapidly becoming popular, and afford new fanciers an opportunity of competing on equal terms with the older breeders.
Eggs 21s setting, all English stock.
Mrs. BRADSHAW, The Farm,
Orange-street, Randwick.

BROWN LEGHORNS.—Eggs, 5s, unfertiles replaced; yg. stock Roosters, chp. Ong, 11 Loro-st., N. Sydney.

MOSS Vale POULTRY SHOW on September 3 and 4. Schedules on application to Jas. Yeo, hon. sec.

WHITE Leghorns, 6 firsts, 2 seconds, champion 1901. Eggs 10s dozen. Messervy, Gladstone-st., Leichhardt.

MINORCA SITTINGS, 4s, Cadell-Crawford. J. T. Weatherlake, Gerald-st., Marrickville.

MINORCAS, bred for Eggs, fine vigorous Cockerels, 12s 6d; Eggs, 10s 6d s. E. Winston, Campbelltown.

IRISH Setters for Sale, 6 months, from imported and champion stock. A. J. Metcalfe, Cliffbanks, Coogee.

INCUBATOR.—Hearson Champion, 100 eggs, chp. E. Butcher, 126 Pitt-st.

GREEN-BONE CUTTER for sale. E. Butcher, 126 Pitt-st.

FOR SALE, Collie Puppies, by Vanquisher, imp., any reas. offer, must sell, leavg. col. 27 Bland-st., A'dale.

For Continuation see Index to Advertisements.

Funerals.

NEWELL.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. JOHN M'LEOD, of Mount Victoria, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Minnie, which will move from her aunt's residence, No. 49 Ormond-street, Paddington, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at a quarter to 9 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY,
Telephone, 726, &c. Undertakers and Embalmers,
Sydney, Balmain, Petersham, North Sydney, &c.

PHELAN.—The Friends of THOMAS and MAURICE PHELAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Honora Phelan; to leave her late residence, 88 Mackenzie-street, Waverley, THIS (Saturday) MORNING, at 9.30, for Waverley Cemetery.
W. CARTER, Undertaker, Waverley.

CAMPBELL.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL CAMPBELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved DAUGHTER, Clara Annie, to leave their residence, Henley-street, North Botany, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY.
Tel., 424, &c. Central Office, 812 George-street.

ANTHON.—The Friends of Mrs. D. C. ANTHON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved SON, Frederick William, which will move from her residence, Westholme, No. 37 Albany-road, Petersham, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter past 1 o'clock, for All Saints' Mission Church, thence to Necropolis, via Petersham station.
WOOD and COMPANY.
Telephone, 726, &c. Funeral Directors.

M'SWIGGAN.—The Friends of Mrs. EDWARD M'SWIGGAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, Edward; to move from his residence, Mountfield Hotel, Abercrombie-st., Redfern, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
P. BYRNES and COMPANY, Funeral Directors,
Tel., 203, Glebe. 185 George-street West.

M'SWIGGAN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. PATRICK M'KEEVER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved Friend, EDWARD M'SWIGGAN; to move from his residence, Mountfield Hotel, Abercrombie-st., Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
P. BYRNES and COMPANY, Undertakers.
Tel., 203, Glebe. 185 George-street West.

KELLY.—The Friends of the late Mrs. JOHN KELLY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND, John Kelly; to move from 16 Ann-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
P. BYRNES and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors,
Tel., 203 Glebe. 185 George-street West.

KELLY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. DAVID KELLY, Mr. ROGER and Mrs. ANNIE HAYES, and Messrs. JOHN and PATRICK KELLY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved FATHER, John Kelly; to move from 16 Ann-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery. P. BYRNES and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors, 185 George-street West.

HIBERNIAN A. C. BENEFIT SOCIETY, St. Benedict's Branch.—The Officers and Members of above and other branches are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of late Bro. JOHN KELLY; to move from 16 Ann-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery. JOHN F. M'CRORY, Sec.; S. M'CORMACK, Pres.
P. BYRNES and COMPANY, Undertakers.

NEANDER.—The Friends of the Misses NELLIE, LOUIE, and ALICE NEANDER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved BROTHER, Alfred Gordon; to move from 515 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS SATURDAY, at 1.30 p.m., for the Necropolis.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Undertakers,
7 Elizabeth-street. Tel., 875.

CONDON.—The Friends of Mr. JAMES CONDON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved WIFE, Anna, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON; to leave his residence, 44 Day-street, off Erskine-street, at 1.30, to the R. C. Cemetery, Rookwood. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 23 Oxford-street, and 204 George-street.

ENGISCH.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. NEWMAN are requested to attend the Funeral of their BROTHER-IN-LAW, Mr. George Engisch; to leave 70 King-street, Newtown, at 2 p.m., THIS DAY, Saturday, for Waverley.

ENGISCH.—The Friends of Mrs. ENGISCH and FAMILY are requested to attend the Funeral of the late Mr. Geo. Engisch; to leave 70 King-street, Newtown, at 2 p.m., THIS DAY, Saturday, for Waverley.

STONEHENGE LODGE, U.A.O.D.—The Funeral of our late Brother, GEORGE ENGISCH will leave King-street, Newtown, TO-DAY (Saturday), at 2 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.
W. G. BIELER, A.D.
JOHN WILLIAMS, Sec.

SHEARER.—The Friends of Mrs. JOHN SHEARER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved HUSBAND; to move from Craiginnes, Victoria-road, Marrickville, THIS SATURDAY, at 1.30 p.m., for Newtown station, thence to the R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood. Funeral train leaves Mortuary station at 2.23 p.m.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Undertakers,
7 Elizabeth-street, city. Tel., 875.

SHEARER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. JOHN SHEARER, Jun., are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved FATHER, John Shearer, sen.; to move from Craiginnes, Victoria road, Marrickville, THIS SATURDAY, at 1.30 p.m., for the Newtown station, thence R.C.C., Rookwood. Train Mortuary 2.23.

SHEARER.—The Friends of Mr. JAMES SHEARER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved BROTHER, John; to move from Craiginnes, Victoria-road, Marrickville, THIS SATURDAY, at 1.30 p.m., for the Newtown station, thence to R.C.C., Rookwood.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Undertakers.

LOYAL WANDERING MINSTREL LODGE, M.U.—The Officers and Brothers are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of our late Brother, JOHN SHEARER, which will leave his late residence, Craiginnes, Victoria-road, Marrickville, THIS AFTERNOON, for Newtown station, thence to Necropolis. Hardwick, N.G.; Evans, sec.

BURNS.—The Friends of Mrs. ELIZABETH BURNS and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved HUSBAND and their FATHER, Mr. Patrick Burns; to leave 20 Grosvenor-terrace, Moorehead-street, Waterloo, THIS SATURDAY, at 2.45 p.m., for the Waverley Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON, Undertakers,
Tel., 875. 7 Elizabeth-st., and 113 Miller-st., N. Syd.

HENDRY.—The Friends of the late JANE ELIZABETH HENDRY are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, to move from her late residence, 113 Balmain-road, Leichhardt, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3.30, for the Balmain Cemetery.
J. CROCKETT, Jun., and CO.,
Undertakers and Embalmers, Leichhardt and Balmain.
Telephone, 207 Petersham.

PLACE.—The Friends of Mrs. JAMES PLACE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND, to leave 7 Best-street, Woolloomooloo, TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, at 1.15 p.m., for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Pyrmont, North Sydney, Balmain, &c.

EXCELSIOR LODGE G.U.O.O.F., NO. 2916.—The Members of the above Lodge are requested to attend the Funeral of our late departed Bro. J. PLACE, to leave 7 Best-st., Woolloomooloo, on Sunday, 18th inst., at 1.30 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery.
T. M'NAMARA, Secretary.

THE Friends of the late Mr. PATRICK MOYE are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from No. 2 The Avenue, off Thomas-street, Ashfield, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. J. BRAUER,
Funeral Director, &c., Summer Hill.

THE Friends of Mr. THOMAS P. MOYE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER, Patrick Moye; to move from his late residence, No. 2 The Avenue, off Thomas-street, Ashfield, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for R.C. Cemetery, Waverley. J. BRAUER,
Funeral Director, &c., Summer Hill.

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KAISER.—The Friends of Mrs. S. A. KAISER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, Sigismund A. Kaiser; to move from their residence, 58 Watkin-street, Newtown, on SUNDAY NEXT, at 2 p.m., for the Necropolis, Rookwood.
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KAISER.—The Friends of Messrs. EMIL and HANS KAISER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, S. A. Kaiser; to move from his residence, 58 Watkin-street, Newtown, on SUNDAY NEXT, at 2 p.m., for the Necropolis, Rookwood.
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KAISER.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ALFRED KAISER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, S. A. Kaiser; to move from his residence, 58 Watkin-street, Newtown, on SUNDAY NEXT, at 2 p.m., for the Necropolis, Rookwood.
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